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Commissioner Tom Grimsley was given approval to get one. made a motion with a second The motion failed due to a tie a helicopter through the pro- Westbrook, Robert Stephens gram he has found. He also and Doug Dalrymple. indicated the only funds that The next regular meeting of would be needed in the FY2008 the Coffee County Commission budget for the helicopter would will be Monday, Sept. 24, at 9

Prior to adjourning Monday's know when a helicopter would however, be ready for the county after he

be for insurance since he did not a.m. in New Brockton.

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preserve the details and history of segregated school life in rural Dale County, Ala. Although were busy transporting those Town clerk Annette Williams use tax for the town.

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Wallace Community College- regated schools and lived To date, The History Channel Philanthropy Advisors and Dothan has been awarded a through this tumultuous era. The and its cable partners have given American Association of State \$9,700 Save Our History grant completed project will be pre- \$1 million dollars to fund com- and Local History, created the from The History Channel. served in a documentary video munity preservation projects Save Our History Grant

Wallace is one of 27 organiza- and published book. across the country. These grants Program as an extension of the from Commissioner J.L. Weeks vote. Those voting in favor of tions nationwide to receive one This year, The History fund innovative preservation Save Our History philanthropic to give the sheriff permission to giving the sheriff permission to of these community preserva- Channel awarded \$250,000 in projects designed to bring com- initiative. The program is secure a helicopter for the counget a helicopter were commisty. The sheriff had indicated he sioners Jim Thompson, Tom will allow the College to partner organizations across the counwould need this approval from Grimsley and J.L. Weeks. with Dale County High School try. In four years, 1,934 historic tion of their local history and to learn about and preserve the commissioners before he could Voting against the motion were and the Dale County Historical organizations, representing all communicate the importance of past through projects involving move forward with trying to get commissioners Linda and Genealogical Society to 50 states and the District of saving local history for future artifacts, oral histories, sites, produce "The Forgotten Columbia have applied for generations. Schools: An Oral History of funding through the Save Our The History Channel, with the exist in their own neighbor-African-American Schools in History Grant Program. counsel of Rockefeller hoods.

museums or landmarks that

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school segregation is an integral suspects to the jail at the time said the signs were not placed • Tabled several items includpart of Alabama history, many Strickland came through the by town officials. Instead, she ing an amendment to the town's of the history and circumstances Strickland also mentioned a ment placed the signs after the approval of the FY 2008 budget surrounding school segregation concern over a reserve officer bus supervisor for the county and a discussion regarding use and the long process of integra- yelling at motorists and deliver- school system expressed con- of the town hall building as a tion that occurred within their ing orders. He said he did not cern for his bus drivers not Red Cross shelter. In regards to

Wallace Community College receives "Save Our History" grant from History Channel

This project will allow stu- such authority to treat motorists cles parked in front of the said an architect's report was dents to explore and document, in that manner. Grimes agreed homes. She said the concern not favorable for using the through first-person narrative and said the particular situation was over a safety issue. - building as a shelter in its curaccounts, the experiences of for- in which Strickland was citing Strickland said there are more rent condition. mer students who attended seg- had already been addressed. safety issues across the town Another concern Strickland than just this particular area. brought before the council dur- Furthermore, he said he has ing Monday's meeting was that never had a problem seeing of 'no parking' signs being oncoming traffic in that area. placed in front of some homes Barbara Herron told council along Hwy. 84 leading into members the town's annual Christmas Parade is scheduled for the first Saturday in

December. She said she needs help with the parade and encouraged anyone interested in helping to attend a meeting Thursday, Sept. 27, at 6 p.m. in the council chambers at the New Brockton Town Hall. In other business, council

· Approved a motion to proceed with a rezoning request from the planning and zoning commission. A public hearing was held prior to Monday's meeting on this matter. · Approved to indefinitely extend the one-cent sales and

said the state highway depart- business license schedule,

feel a reserve should be given being able to see well with vehithe Red Cross shelter, Herron Don't

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Elba BOE adopts FY 2008 budget

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher these accounts.

met Tuesday evening, Sept. 11, with capital projects money, but in the board room. Board mem- by law this can't be used for bers waded through the usual anything but buildings and monthly reports, adopted the equipment and then only after annual budget and a host of getting written approval from other state or federally required the state department.

time last year. He explained that 2008 Technology Plan. continuing drops in enrollment Approved High Hopes

The Elba City School Board The school system is flush

In addition to adopting the Superintendent Danny Weeks budget, board members distold the members that the sys- cussed and adopted: FY 2008 tem would end the fiscal year Transportation Plan; FY 2008 with less money in the General Capital Plan; FY 2008 Alabama Fund than was there at the same Reading First budget and the FY

and state mandated pay raises Advisory Board and ASAP combine to cut into the reserves. planning team; Approved Most state funds are tied Alabama Student Assistance directly to the enrollment num- Plan and awarded Community bers. Pay raises given by the Agency Fund to Family Legislature do not supply funds Services for \$8,813.00;



for locally funded teacher units Approved a resolution to the FIRE DESTROYS MOBILE HOME...Local emergency personnel responded Monday afternoon, Sept. 17, to the scene of a mobile and the law required that all teachers get the raises. The raisteachers get the raises are raised to the fire on Coffee County Road 355. At approximately 2:03 p.m. Monday afternoon, the fire was reported through a 911 call to the Elba
Police Department. Firefighters from the Elba Volunteer Fire Department and Brantley Volunteer Fire Department responded to the scene; however, the fire was too far gone by the time they arrived. The mobile home was completely engulfed must come from the local funds, Please See BOE, Page 16 in flames and quickly burned. Reportedly, no one was at home when the blaze began. Also responding to the scene were units from Coffee County EMS and the Coffee County Sheriff's Department

New Brockton Elementary student receives wheelchair from truck drivers

by Linda Hodge, Editor

New Brockton Elementary School student Courtney Sconyers this week became a group of truck drivers employed by Wal-

The truck drivers, known as the Walered in the school's library, they were told

According to Reggie McDonald, one of three truck drivers at the school on. Tuesday, Sept. 18, the Wal-Mart Heart ers within the company that have a heart and want to use those hearts to help kids

Robert Sconyers, Courtney's dad, said his son has to use a wheelchair because of

McDonald said he became aware of Courtney and his problems last year when he visited New Brockton Elementary dur-"Courtney touched my heart when I met

him last year," said McDonald. After presenting Courtney with his new wheelchair which is larger than the one Courtney was using at the time of Tuesday's presentation, the truck drivers

morning, McDonald said. The truck drivers also presented lowing and teaching others about. Courtney with a certificate recognizing

School when fourth grade student Courtney Sconyers received a new wheelchair from the Wal-Mart Heart Drivers. The wheelchair presented to Sconyers reportedly is larger than the one he was using at the time of the presentation. The new wheelchair should accommodate him through his high school years and possibly beyond. As the truck drivers revealed the new wheelchair to Courtney, he immediately moved into his new chair. The truck drivers also presented Courtney with a certificate (above) recognizing him as

an honorary truck driver for the day. The Wal-Mart Heart Drivers organize and pick out

various projects to help children and other people with special needs. Wal-Mart Heart Drivers present at NBES on Tuesday included Phillip Hargrove, Reggie McDonald and Lamar Edwards. Also present for the presentation was Courtney's dad, Robert Sconyers. there's somebody cares for you." Driver Lamar Edwards briefly spoke McDonald closed the presentation by "Courtney, you're our special guy this about the various safety issues the Walannouncing the truck drivers also had Mart truck drivers are dedicated to folbrought a second wheelchair to donate to

"Remember," he said to the students. said this wheelchair is for the school's use

New Brockton Elementary School. He "If there's a Wal-Mart driver around, in case it's needed for some reason.

The Coffee County Board of budge Education met last Thursday, munity look for the school system still

money to upgrade facilities. enues, \$3,931,160 are local

pproved budget equal \$10,724,615 for instructional \$1,853,744 for operation and maintenance, \$2,406,228 for School \$412,819 for debt services and

The beginning fund balance \$100,000 grant for this pro-(Oct. 1) will be \$6,583,446 gra (Sept. 30) of \$4,861,972.

vote to adopt FY2008 budget by Linda Hodge, Editor ed. Two public hearings were held prior to approval of the

Coffee County BOE members

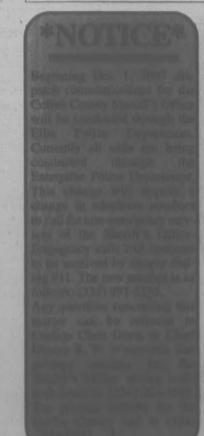
the budget, as always, is a work

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instructional support services, Kimberly Kilpatrick - CNP

\$3,823,000 for capital outlay, at New Brockton High School.

Upon Dr. Ingram's recom- Board of Education is set for mendation, board members Thursday, Oct. 4, at 7 p.m. The voted unanimously to approve meeting will be at



Area Happenings

Thad Fleming joined the Coffee County EMS team approximately three months ago

His training includes NREMT-P, ACLS, PEPP, BLS-Instructor and ITLS. When asked what he enjoys most about his job, Fleming said, "the constantly changing

environment that tests you every memorable experience on the job was when he revived three

house fire. His hobbies and interests include reading, outdoor activities and cooking

wife, two children, two stepchildren and three grandchildren. He is also employed by Pilcher's Ambulance Service, located in Dothan.



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EDITORIAL

O. J. Simpson seems to stay in the news but this week the head- United States Service must be residents of Alabama script. lines are sure enough not good for him. Press reports paint a pic- Academy nominations. The and must complete the For more information about vices/academy nominations to ture of a man who thinks the laws are not meant for him. That service academies include the required ACT or SAT exam. how to apply for a nomination access information and downmay or may not be the case, but he is in a lot of trouble this time U.S. Naval Academy, U.S. Air Applicants are also required to please contact Senator load an application. around. Simpson is in jail on charges stemming from reports he Force Academy, U.S. Military took Simpson memorabilia (plus some other items). Simpson told Merchant Marine Academy. the press in Vegas that it was his stuff others disagree. "I hope that many young Anyway there are reports of guns being flashed around during the people in Alabama will considepisode and that will make the charges more serious. Millions of er applying to our nation's people in the U.S. feel O. J. got away with killing his ex-wife ans service academies to further I am personally seeing an run a scan for that, too.] The IRS can use the informais flaunting it. They want to see the 60 year former football star their education," said Shelby. increase this month of reports 4. What should you do with a tion, URLs and links in the susjailed for a long time over this incident. Expect this to be in the "The service academies pro- from local taxpayers, tax practi- scam e-mail if you get one? picious e-mails you send to news for months and months, regardless of the final outcome. vide outstanding educational tioners and members of the Follow these instructions trace the hosting Web site and

As an afterthought, O. J. might consider getting a new set of the virtues of leadership, that appear to be from the IRS. rticle/0..id=155344.00.html> down the fraudulent sites. "friends". One of the men he got to go with him to the hotel room admits he is the individual who tape recorded everything which Enterprise Boll Weevil ever initiate contact using e- phishing@irs.gov. expected volume, the IRS will was said . . . and turned it over to law enforcement officials. The Festival planned for recorded verbal exchange doesn't sound good for the Juice.

All our life, especially as an impressionable child, we have heard The Downtown Unlimited and may be dangerous. toll-free at 1-800-829-1040. scarry hair raising stories of people being buried alive, fingernail Committee of the Enterprise scratches inside dug up coffins, etc., but in Venezuela there is a Chamber of Commerce is now damage to your computer or the the victim of a tax scam, contact real life story, this time with a survivor. A 33 year old man was accepting applications from declared dead following a highway accident. In the morgue an vendors for the 2007 Boll Warnings and instructions for General for Tax Administration exam was underway when he sat up after feeling excruciating Weevil Fall Festival to be held recipients of these fake e-mails: toll-free at 1-800-366-4484. pain when medical examiners cut his face as they began an in downtown Enterprise on 1. DO NOT open any attachordered autopsy. Hospital officials were unavailable for com- October 27th from 9:00 A.M. to ments or click on links in the help shut down these schemes ment, but the man reportedly displayed a facial scar and a docu- 3:00 P.M. ment ordering the autopsy. Horror of horrors.

Alabama Attorney General Troy King is going the extra mile in from the Enterprise Chamber of remote access to your hard help shut down these schemes his effort to be tough on crime. That of course steps on some toes. Commerce at 553 Glover d r i v e . and prevent others from being This week that "step on toe" pain is coming out as a group of Avenue during business hours, 2. If you do click on a link in the v i c t i m i z e d . District Attorneys rally around one of their own. Troy stepped in or by written request at: P.O. e-mail and it takes you to a Web If you receive a suspicious eto take over a death penalty case in North Alabama that is being Box 310577, Enterprise, AL. site requesting your personal mail that claims to come from retried after the DA in that county agreed in court that the death 36330. Application requests can financial information, do not the IRS, you can relay that epenalty wasn't right for the Number Two man, since the convict- be made by e-mail to cham- supply it. Any information you mail to a new IRS mailbox, ed killer's death sentence was overturned (he was legally a juve- ber@entercomp.com, or by call- supply will likely be used to phishing@irs.gov. nile). The AG has said publically that he feels the death penalty ing 334-347-0581. The deadline steal your identity. http://www.irs.gov/individu-10.2581. The deadline steal your identity. is still the way to go in the case of this adult. There are claims of for receipt of all completed 3. If you click on a link or open als/article/0.id=155344.00.html "politics" etc., as the offending DA openly supported another applications is October 18th an attachment, make sure your > for sending the bogus e-mail man for the AG job in the last election. That is a charge King strongly denies. Stay tuned to this one folks, it will be interesting EOCC announced mini-term Red Cross to

Elba Police Report

ing incidents: two for harass- disturbance reported at 426 ment, one attempted suicide, one Williams Ave. (9:09 p.m.).

one arrest on warrant. the week were as follows: five for (3:04 p.m.). speeding, two for no proof of FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14insurance, two for violation of the Coffee County EMS dispatched seat belt law, one for violation of to 2751 Marilyn St. (7:49 a.m.); the noise ordinance, three for no Domestic disturbance reported at insurance and one for an expired 137 Plant Ave. (12:33 p.m.);

week were as follows:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER the Mulberry Park area (11:49 10 - Coffee County EMS dis- p.m.). patched to 81 County Rd. 418 SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER (12:29 a.m.); Coffee County 15 - Domestic disturbance EMS dispatched to 411 Adkison reported at 1229 Martin Luther St. (7:51 p.m.); Coffee County King Dr. (12:39 a.m.); Domestic EMS dispatched to 1152 Neil disturbance reported at 6813 Grantham Dr. (9:19 p.m.). County Rd. 410 (11:25 a.m.);

patched to 822 Roosevelt (9:18 p.m.). County EMS dispatched to Hwy. p.m.). 166 and Hwy. 84 (11:24 p.m.). WEDNESDAY, SEPTEM-

BER 12 - Coffee County EMS dispatched to 977 N. Claxton CRIMESTOPPER

domestic violence, one property THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER ge, one harassing communi- 13 - Wreck reported on Hwy. 166 cations and one theft of property. at the high school (5:54 a.m.); The following arrests were Coffee County EMS dispatched made: one for harassment and to 565 County Rd. 200 (12:25 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-Traffic citations issued during patched to 1405 County Rd. 215

Coffee County EMS dispatched Daily activity highlights for the to 930 Carver Dr. (5:04 p.m.); Disturbance (noise) reported in

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER Coffee County EMS dispatched 11 - Coffee County EMS dis- to 1682 County Rd. 110 (9:24

a.m.); Domestic disturbance SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 reported at 1317 Highland Dr. - Possible wreck reported across (3:05 p.m.); Domestic distur- from 2318 Taylor Mill Rd. (1:20 bance reported at Powell Circle, a.m.); Domestic disturbance Lot 12 (7:04 p.m.); Coffee reported at the boat ramp (9:24

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and several friends barged into a lastel room in Las Vegas and Academy and the U.S. Identity thief warning from the IRS took Simpson memorabilia (plus some other items). Simpson told Merchant Marine Academy

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On the night of September 11, knew the same and felt the pride LINDA ANN WALDEN 2007, I witnessed a game like and effort that these young ladies Mrs. Linda Ann Walden, age brothers: Henry (Ann) Blanton Harris Temple C.O.G.I.C., Elba, Alabama. never before. I've played, possessed Real pride -- REBEL 64, a resident of Daphne, Ala., Chance, and Samuel (Ann) Ala. with Superintendent W.K. Funeral services were held coached and attended games for PRIDE. 35 years, so I've seen it all...or Sincerely, so I thought.

The Zion Chapel varsity vol- Rebel Mom leyball team took the court to play Elba. We only had six girls Dear Editor. 21 to 25.

court, and we were down to 5 Respectfully. players. Jane Hall - 11th grade, J. M. Guerrero Heather Hines and Nicole Hollaway - 10th grade, Kelli Dear Linda, Behrens - 9th grade, and Every year about this time, son, Jeff J. Walden.

gave 100%. With 2 wins for gifts, and donations. breaker 5th game. The girls like to contribute to the ceme- brothers: Kenneth Davis, Elba, p.m. never quit and were relentless in tery with a donation, they can Jack Davis (Sharon), The Bradshaw family will the 5-man attack. They lost 19 to send it to: Evergreen Cemetery • Whitehorse, Canada, Jimmy except flowers or contributions 17 but were anything but losers. C/O City of Elba • 200 Buford Davis (Alma), Elba; and sister: may be made to Taylor Mill I have never been so proud of Street • Elba, AL 36323. anyone as I was of those 5 Many people in our area do

ners...and they are: Not by what tery. the scoreboard showed but by the Sincerely, dignity, determination, and pride Herby McCall, Chairman they displayed.

Donna Arnold

due to injury. We had to play Our good friend Ferrin Cox is the first game with a score of 25 September 13, 2007). Hasn't he to 14. We lost the second game noticed how much better off Alabama is since we voted It was the third game that Siegelman out of office? made everything stand still. Ferrin might be unhappy that

Heritage directing.

Everyone covering for everyone web/al/coffee/cemetery.htm They played with more heart and welcomes any suggestions or Cemetery. soul than any team before them. comments, negative or positive, band: Jessie Parker, New Hope They were determined to be win- that anyone has about the ceme-

Evergreen Cemetery Committee

Obituaries (Annette) Parker, Jack; two Saturday September 15, 2007 at Memorial Hospital in Opp.

Hospital in Mobile, Ala.

With the score 13 to 9 our way, Siegelman is sitting in jail, but a Stinson was helped off the he is right where he belongs.

but the Lady Rebels never gave tery. This additional funding up. They covered, called and comes from lot sales, memorial

Gwendal Marler, Enterprise.

young ladies. They played with genealogical and family history FRANCES PARKER more heart and determination research. In 2005 the East (old) Mrs. Frances Parker, age 88, Mr. Bradshaw was preceded in than any team I've seen. They side of the cemetery was sur- of Jack, Ala., died Monday, Sept. death by his wife, Wynell left the court in tears...not veyed and the information from 17, 2007 at Flowers Hospital in Bradshaw; and a daughter, because they lost but because the headstones was put into a Dothan, Ala. database. This information is Funeral services were held Survivors include two sons: They showed pride in them- now available on the Internet. Sept. 19, 2007 at New Hope Charles (wife Elsa) Bradshaw Jr. selves and teammates by never The web address is: Baptist Church with Reverend Phenix City, Ala., Gary (wife

> Survivors include her hus-MR. JOHN W. SOWELL SR. both of Brundidge, Eloise (Jerry)

died early Monday, Sept. 3, Walker Chance; one sister-in- Ellison officiating. Burial fol- September 17, 2007 at 2007, at Springhill Memorial law: Cleone Chance; one broth- lowed in the Pea River Cemetery Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Mrs. Walden was born and grandchildren:

raised in Coffee County on Forehand, Mack Ziglar, Melanie He was preceded in death by a lowed with Coleman Funeral October 16, 1942 to Razz and Tindol, Kaye Parrish, Danny brother, Roy Sowell; mother, Home directing. Bonnie Davis. She had been a Parker, Michele Boyd, Edwin Marion Manning; two brothers- He was preceded in death by hard, and we did. The girls won at it again! (Brainstorms, resident of Cottonwood for over Parker and Donny Parker; 15 in-law and a father-in-law. his parents, Charlie and Pearlie 30 years before moving to great-grandchildren: Amanda, He is survived by his wife, Tillis; wife, Geraldine Jarrett; Daphne about two years ago. Jessica, Clay, Melanie, Kay, Wanda Sowell; five sons, John and one daughter, Rona Love. Funeral services were held Edwin, Emily, Olivia, Kyle, Jr., Brett, William, Michael, and He is survived by seven chil-Thursday, Sept. 6, in Clearman Joshua, Jennifer, Jasmine, Lucas, Brian; four daughters, Jewel dren, Rob Stinson, Carolyn Chapel at Southern Heritage Brooklyn and Emily; and nine Shavonne, Crystal and Renee; Stoudemire, R.C. Tillis, Tinka with Dr. Walter Reeder officiat- great-great grandchildren: father, Wilbert Sowell; brothers, Edwards, Jackie Folmar, Shawn ing. Burial followed in Spencer, Sawyer, Sarah, Emma, James Johnson and Denzel Mullins, and Mel Bell; one sisa player went down. Brooke lot of folks, including us, think Hodgesville Baptist Church Anna Beth, Abigail, Jeremiah, Sowell; mother-in-law, Thelma ter, Gussie Adams; and two Cemetery with Southern Megan and Mackenzie.

> Mrs. Walden is preceded in MARVIN CHARLES death by her parents; her hus- BRADSHAW SR.

Cheyenne Nelson - 8th grade, the Evergreen Cemetery Survivors include her three formally of Elba, Ala., died Jerome Bass; two special made up the 5 man team. Fives Committee conducts a mail out sons: James R. Walden, Monday, Sept. 17, 2007, at nephews, Ray Singleton and girls that pulled together with a and fund drive to seek donations Cowarts, Ala., Jerry Walden Enterprise Nursing Home. Tony McClain; and thirteen determination that set them for the upkeep of the cemetery. (Charlotte), Slocomb, Ala., Funeral services will be held at grandchildren. apart from any team I've seen. Evergreen Cemetery has been a Stevie A. Walden (Denise), Jack, Hayes Funeral Home Chapel on They finished the game with a perpetual fund but the interest Ala.; daughter: Patricia Thursday, Sept. 20, at 11 a.m. from these funds is not enough Kirkland (Matthew), Ida, Mich.; with Dr. Billy Joy officiating. Game 4 went to Elba 11 to 25, to properly care for the ceme-Morgan, McKenzie, Molly, Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Brodie Walden, Natalie Walden, Elba, with Hayes Funeral Home Matt Jr., Ashley, Emily, David, directing. Visitation was at each team we had to play the tie
If any of your readers would breaker 5th game. The girls, and donations.

Rebecca Kirkland, Morgan, Hayes Funeral Home on Hunter, Lance, Gin Walden; Wednesday, Sept. 19, from 5-8

> Elba, AL 36323 in honor of Mr. Eloise Bradshaw.

giving up, but giving their all. www.rootsweb.com/usgen- Jerry Long and Reverend Mack Monica) Bradshaw, Enterprise; King officiating. Burial followed one sister: Grace Lawford, Elba: yet holding down their positions. The Cemetery Committee at St. John Baptist Church seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Oaks, 2805 Taylor Mill Road,

community; four children: Tiny 64, died September 10, 2007 at his residence in Enterprise, Alabama. Funeral services were held

er-in-law: Tom Campbell; eight with Coleman Funeral Home Church with Rev. Darryl Debra directing.

L. Singleton; sister-in-law, brothers, Bufus Tillis and Darlene B. Brown; special aunts, Charlie Tillis. Carrie Sowell and Pauline Ward; five special cousins, Ruby G. band, Luther J. Walden Jr.; and a Mr. Marvin Charles Bradshaw Scott, Morris Nelson, Clayborn Sr., age 83, of Enterprise, Ala., Sowell, James Broxton and

> Mr. Rubert Tillis, age 83, died September 11, 2007 at Mizell

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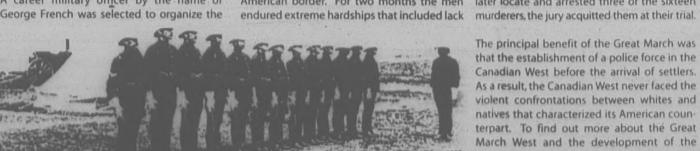
Ziglar, Montgomery, Ray

How Americans Helped Create the Royal Canadian Mounted Police

traders killed twenty-two unarmed Cree mer, he had recruited and trained nearly four Indians in Alberta, Canada. In response, the hundred new police officers. Canadian government authorized the cre-

dead were women and children, the incident the Cypress Hills massacre.

was called the Cypress Hills Massacre.



n June 1873, a group of Montana whiskey new police force. By early the following sum-

ation of the Northwest Mounted Police On July 8, 1874 two hundred and seventy-five (NWMP, which later changed its name to the of them left the new NWMP headquarters at Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP). Fort Dufferin, which was located on the eastern edge of the Great Plains. Reaching their The killings occurred at Cypress Hills after destination required an eight hundred mile someone stole horses belonging to the westward trek, better known as The Great whiskey traders. Believing the Indians to be March. Their goals were to stop the whiskey the thieves, the Montana's descended upon trade, to bring law and order to the Canadian the Indians' encampment. As many of the West, and to apprehend those responsible for

They followed a route that ran parallel to the an elderly caretaker. When the policemen A career military officer by the name of American border. For two months the men later locate and arrested three of the sixteen

of water, dysentery, and malaria. Their desti-

nation was a trading post called Fort Whoop-

Up, built by the Montana traders in 1869.

When they arrived, it was deserted except for

The principal benefit of the Great March was that the establishment of a police force in the Canadian West before the arrival of settlers. terpart. To find out more about the Great March West and the development of the

Mounted Police Alberta, 1875. Canadian West, take The Web Journey.

The Diary of Henri Julien

resource is his diary, and includes many of the paigns throughout the Canadian West.

illustrations he made during the journey.

Web Address: http://tinyurl.com/6o4qo The Romance of the Mounted Police

panied them on the Great March West. This and includes stories of many of their cam- to its settlement in the late nineteenth and

Web Address:

early twentieth century. It includes a well researched overview, as well as original documents and maps.

Web Address: http://tinyurl.com/5vk9

IT HAPPENED



elected in 1896, he was re-elected to a second term in 1900. Early in September 1901, he visited the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo, New York. On September 6, during

a public reception,

fifth President. First

Courtesy of the Library of Congress. Leon Czolgosz shot him at point blank range. On September 14, he died from his wounds and Theodore Roosevelt became the nation's twenty-sixth President. Who

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ALABAMA



1923 country music legend Hank Williams was born in the town of Georgiana, which is approximately thirty miles northwest of Andalusia. He rocketed to stardom following an appearance at the Grand Ole Opry in 1949. By Hank Williams: Through the Alabama the time he died

On September 17,

best-known entertainers in the country. Find out more about him at

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Department of Archives and History. four years later at

the age of twenty-nine, he had become one of the

Touchstone Energy



Henri Julien was an illustrator and journalist Published in 1899, this is a chapter from the Developed by the National Library of who worked for the Canadian Illustrated book Pictures from Canadian History for Boys Canada, this resource tells the story of west-News. At the invitation of the commissioner and Girls. It tells the story of the Mounted ern development from the arrival of the first of the North West Mounted Police, he accom- Police from its founding through to the 1890's explorers in the sixteenth century, through

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LIBESTYLES



Mr. White & Miss Stewart

Miss Stewart and Mr. White to share vows on Saturday, October 6

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Stewart Hornsby, Elba, and Gladys Banks, Alabama announce Bullard, Elba. He is currently the forthcoming marriage of employed as a supervisor at their daughter, Bethany Helen to Keystone Foods.

Daniel Hunter White of Elba, The wedding will take place at Antioch Baptist Church in Miss Stewart is the grand- Troy, Alabama on October 6, Jaysa Alyse laughter of Mary Price, Banks, 2007 at 5:00 in the evening. A and the late Ray Price, and the reception will follow the wed- Messer Is two late Frank and Magdalene ding in the church fellowship Stewart, Brundidge. She is a hall, All friends and family are Years old 2003 graduate of the University invited to attend. South Alabama where she eccived a bachelor's degree in The S.E. Mental Health ed her 2nd birthday in a big way. Nana's pool. The guests were

occupational therapy. She is cur- Board to meet rently employed by Enterprise

grandson of Ammie Lee Alabama 36467.

EHS Class of 1947 to hold 60th reunion The Elba High School Class of 1947 is planning a 60th reunion on September 27th. For more information contact Paul L. English at (205) 556-4209 or Sara Dyess Sharpless at (205) 897-6036.



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Magnolia Home & Garden Club meets with Mrs. Louise Hudson

On September 6, 2007, the members of Magnolia Home and Garden Club kicked off the year's activities at the home of its president, Louise Hudson. Mrs. Hudson prepared her famous breakfast meal in honor of the members. She used the club's logo, the magnolia, in her table decor.

This was a great time of fellowship, leaving the summer behind us, and making plans for the new year. Program Chairman Syble Hahn reviewed the contents of the yearbook; and Secretary Marlene Willis shared the beautifully prepared

Stan Windham will present the program on October 4 on dealing with the care and maintenance of your gardens and yard during the fall. Pruning as well as other winter preparation Parrish-Richter wedding set for well as other winter preparation will be discussed. None club members are welcome to attend.



Jaysa Alyse Messer

Jaysa Alyse Messer celebrat-Health and Rehab as the The South Central Mental Haven, Florida. Her dad, J.D. into the water for their first dip. Health Board will hold its annu- Messer, and his family started To provide relief from the Mr. White is the son of Butch al Public Meeting at 2:30 p.m. her day with an exciting visit heat of the sun, tents were set up White and Shelia Hornsby of on Thursday, October 18, 2007. and presents from "Jo Ma" on the lawn and for the guests. Elba, Alabama and the grandson The meeting will be held at Mary Jo and "Papaw" Craig Bouquets of yellow balloons of Jimmy Hornsby, Panama Lurleen B. Wallace Community Rizzuto and lots of hugs from marked the refreshment area

She loved the show except when ated around the pool.

S.E. Alabama Beekeepers Association to meet

Beekeepers Association will their way to the tent decorated Annsley. He is the grandson of hold it's monthly meeting on the just for them. They were seated Jack and Sylvia Padgett, 4th of Oct. 2007 at 7 P.M. at the in small blue chairs around a Charlotte and Ken Anderson, Coffee County Farm Center. small table covered with a and Danny and Vicky Stinson. Anyone interested in the honey- Sponge Bob Square Pants table- He is the great grandson of Edna bee is welcome to attend. For cloth. A miniature Sponge Bob Sue Stinson and Wayne and M-F 7:00 & 9:00 S&S 2:00,7:00 & 9:00 more information please call served as a centerpiece. Avery's Nelline Taylor; he is the great, II - MR. WOODCOCK Elizabeth Whitaker at guests had individual Sponge great grandson of Mrs. Lois M-F 7:10 & 9:10 S&S 2:10, 7:10 & 9:10 334-894-2077.

Bob sippy cups and/or pineap- Hudson.

The American Red Cross is need is for donors with Type O every day to make sure that currently in need of volunteer blood, as Type O blood makes everyone who needs blood

types, particularly those with requested by the more than 100 The American Red Cross Type O Positive or Type O hospitals served in the will be hosting many public Negative, due to the continuing Alabama and Central Gulf drives over the coming weeks critical need. The American Coast Region. Because O in an effort to bolster the blood Red Cross is urging all eligible Negative is considered "uni- supply for the coming months donors to give at blood drives versal donor" blood, it can be and will be in Elba on and donor centers over the next used to treat trauma patients in September 29, at Elba General several weeks as a way of an emergency when time is of Hospital and Nursing Home, keeping the blood supply to a the essence and the patient's 987 Drayton Street from 8 a.m.

Bradshaw-Hataway wedding planned for September 22 Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Bradshaw request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Emily Brooke to

at 6:00 in the evening at Country Cathedral, located on U.S. Highway 84 East, Opp, Ala., and afterwards at the reception in the church's Family Life Center. NEW

Michael Lee Hataway on

Saturday, September 22, 2007,

...... **PAYTON EARL BYRD**



Christopher and Jenny Byrd

of their new baby boy, Payton

Earl Byrd. He was born at

Medical Center Enterprise on

Friday, August 24th at 1:48 p.m.

He was 7 lbs. 4 oz. and 20 1/4

inches long. Payton is the baby

brother of Kyle Byrd of Elba,

Isabella Clements of Jack, Ala.,

and Aliceson Clements of Elba.

He is the grandson of Earl and

Marilyn Byrd of Elba, Jimmy

and Nellie Hall of Brantley,

Descendants of James

SEPTEMBER 21-27

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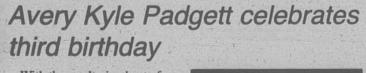
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6F 740 & 9:30 S&S 240, 740 & 9:30

DRAGON WARS



Ashley is a graduate of Zion the Green's home in Brundidge,

LBWCC. She is currently pur- immediately after the ceremony.

suing a degree in cosmetology. Everyone is welcome to come.

Ashley Parrish & Joshua Richter

Saturday, September 29

With the sweltering heat of an August afternoon, what was more fitting than a Sponge Bob Square Pants swimming party to celebrate Avery Kyle Padgett's third birthday.

The future groom, Joshua

Enterprise, Ala.

Avery, dressed in his Sponge Bob Square Pants swimsuit, greeted his little friends and invited them to swim in his She began her celebration with a criven an opportunity to have a trip to Panama City and Lynn tattoo applied before they eased

City, and the late Elizabeth College-MacArthur Campus her baby brother, Connor. and the kids' table. A baby pool Hornsby, and Mary Logan, Conference Center. The Then her "Boppa" David and was under one tent for babies Elba, and the late William C. Conference Center is located at "Gigi" Charlene Messer treated who were afraid of the big White, Mr. White is the great- 1708 Main Street, Opp, her to a trip to Gulf World on water. Bistro tables and chairs Panama City Beach, Florida. under large umbrellas were situ- ple cups with swirled straws.

guest arrived not long after place. The boxes were filled Grimes Family Reunion When she arrived back in Avery and his friends got into with party favors, and later the set for Saturday, Elba, her mommy, Beth Rivera, the pool. Sponge Bob Square children added more treats and "Mimi" Debra Coon Rivera, Pants (granddaddy Danny when they pulled the strings on September 29 threw her a surprise party serv- Stinson) came to visit with the Sponge Bob piñata. ing chocolate cake with 2 cup- Avery and his friends. Some of Adult guest tables, located Shorter and Malisia Grimes

best part was when her cousin, under a tent, was covered with a the breeze.) Around the Rosie with her and Bob cake was the centerpiece. refreshments, a thunder boomer church. The family of John Ice cream, chips and dip, cheese moved all the guests to the front Grimes — Marilu Bailey, Chaperones also at the party puffs, a large variety of fruit, porch where Avery (assisted by Lynne Bozeman, Melissa were Aunt Maria and Uncle cheese puffs, and bar-b-cue his friends) opened his many Morgan, Eva Deal and Carolyn

Once their Sponge Bob plates to carry home.



Avery Kyle Padgett

Small Sponge Bob Treat Ala., and Sheila Miles of Elba. the dolphins splashed water near Probably the most important boxes marked each child's

cake candles and all the trim- the guests were a little hesitant under tents, were covered with will hold their annual family mings of punch, nuts, fruit, and to greet him, but enjoyed blue tablecloths and held real reunion on Saturday, observing him from a distance. pineapples and miniature September 29, 2007 at New They all played Hokey Pokey After having fun in the pool, Sponge Bobs. Some adults ven- Ebenezer (Curtis) Baptist and Duck, Duck, Goose; sang Avery and his friends made their tured from the refreshment Church, Hwy 141, between songs like The Wheels on the way to the refreshment area on table around to the breezy front Elba and Opp. The reunion Bus and the ABC Song' but, the the deck. The food table, located porch. (Ceiling fans furnished begins at 10 a.m. and a covered Kendall Lawford, played Ring blue tablecloth. Avery's Sponge After swimming and enjoying noon at the pavilion behind the

cake. Granny's traditional slush gifts. Once the last gift was Deal Miles — will be hosting punch (yellow this year) was a opened, it was time to pull the the reunion this year. For inforrefreshing treat. Bottled water and juice pouches were iced strings on the Sponge Bob piña-ta. Treats and more treats fell the reunion this year. For information, call 334-271-9355. down in a large tub all afternoon from Sponge Bob's pants as to provide hydration for the Avery and his friends gathered guests during the party hours. them to put into their treat boxes

were filled with party delicacies, Avery is the son of Kyle and The Southeast Alabama Avery and his little friends made Dana Padgett and has a sister

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blood type is unknown. until 1 p.m.

PASTOR'S CORNER By Rev. David Head

Associate Minister Greater New Zion, MBC. Dr. W. L Peterson, Pastor

THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2007.

A few months ago I had the privilege of talking to a very nice group of young people at the Mulberry Baptist District Association Bryant, Rev. Henry Shy, The Flowers is under the spiritual Dr. Dortch is presently servbuilding. The topic of my discussion was Obedience and Tillis Family, Walter Hardwick covering of Bishop T. D. Jakes ing as pastor of First Baptist Responsibility, two subjects that cut very deep when they pertain to young people. I explained to the young people that obedience is submission to authority, in other words, it's the act of obeying. God puts a lot of weight on the aspect of children obeying their parents. Ephesians 6:1 says "Children, obey your parents in the Lord; for this Magwood- September 18,

The duty of children to their parents is to obey them, and this obedience which God demands, not requests, from children also brings Charlotte about an inward reverence, as well as the outward expressions and September 23, Cynthia Rayorn- Sunday, September 23, 2007. Corrie, a teacher, and John, a acts. Obey in the Lord; young people obey your parents, especially in those things which relate to the Lord. (Colossians 3:20) Children, September 23, Sam Terrell-Services will begin with Sunday college senior.

September 23, Sam Terrell-Services will begin with Sunday college senior.

The public is invited to join Goodman Baptist Church obey your parents in all things; for this is well pleasing unto the Henderson- September 24, Worship at 10:30 a.m. Rev. A.R. First Baptist members on this Lord. You see, you must be willing to do all of your parent's lawful Annie Pearl Carpenter- Williams is the pastor. commands, especially the ones that pertain to the Lord. (For this is September 24, Annie L. Coleright) this is the right thing to do.

It's the order of nature that parents command and children obey, not the other way around young people. Ephesians 6:2- Honour thy father and mother which is the first DESTINY REVIVAL will be command with promise, and the promise is that if you honor your father and mother, you will live a long life full of blessing. Pleasant Shade to host Fables of Love 2007 (Ephesians 6:3, that it may be well with the and thou mayest live September 29 and "Selma Day" on September 30

Now, let's look at responsibility, being able to answer for one's Pleasant Shade Baptist On Sunday, September 30, conduct and obligation, trustworthy, able to choose for oneself Church Sister's 2007 at 4:00 P.M. "Selma Day" between right and wrong. Show me a child with no responsibility Ministry will host "Tables of will be held at the Pleasant and in a few years I'll show you a person who does not know how Love 2007" at the Enterprise Shade Baptist Church to deal with responsibility. Young people, you are responsible for Civic Center on September 29, Enterprise, Ala. The program is your actions, you are accountable for the things that you do, so stop 2007 at 5:30 P.M. This is the sponsored by the Salemallowing yourselves to be molded, shaped, and lead by everything place to be for an evening of Enterprise District Congress of that's around you; and be not conformed to this world, but be ye browsing and fellowship and Christian Education. Reverend transformed by the renewing of your mind. I have noticed a copy cat getting new ideas and themes to Steven Tullis, Dean of Religion mentality growing in this generation of young people. You are copying the behaviors and customs of this world. Don't fashion your- days and or other occasions. the message selves according to this world. You have a responsibility to be Contact Brenda Reynolds at Christ-like, and the sooner you take on this responsibility, the better 393-0671 but, I'm trying to give you a more profitable life with fun. Youth revival planned at The Opp Obedience and Responsibility.

Gospel singing planned at Faith Assembly of God

Meredith Street, Enterprise, Ala. The Giles Family. on Saturday, September 29th beginning at 7 p.m. Featured

Ladies Power Lunch set for September 25th in The Baptist Center in Enterprise

September 25, 2007.

The program will be a video Ext. 112 message from Anne Graham

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Sunday School. 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship. 11:00 a.m.

held in The Baptist Center at Wake Up Call for your Heart". 109 East Lee St., Enterprise. Reservation should be made The event will begin at 12:00 by September 21. Call First noon and last until 1:00 p.m., Baptist Church at 393-5683. Cost for the lunch is \$5.00.

Round & About With Eria 897-2006

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 139:7-16 held September 26-27, 2007 at Dortch, who served as pastor Evangelistic C.O.G.I.C., Opp, from 1987 - 1990, will be deliv-THINKING OF YOU, PRAY- Ala. beginning at 7:30 p.m. ering the morning's message. ING FOR YOU: Shirlee nightly. Bishop Joe N. Flowers, Kevin Lanier, a former Minister Belcher, Charles Warren, Rev. Jr. of Rochester, New York will of Music, will be leading us in Henry Ewing Jr., Rev. J.M. be the guest speaker. Bishop worship and the Potter's House Church in Tallahassee, Florida. SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS: International Pastoral Alliance. A native Alabamian, he received

CHURCH

CHURCH & AREA NEWS

Kimmie Daniels- September 17 (In Memory Of), Lance C. Tangela Burks- September 20, HEAD MISSIONARY Otis Johnson- September 22, BAPTIST Whitehurst- Elba, Ala. will be celebrated his wife Judy have two children: September 24 (In Memory Of) Today is a good day! Be grate- ing the service.

THE RESTORATION AND

Church of God for September 24-29 A youth revival will be held at Bond, Bro. James Adkins, and the Opp Church of God, 803 Bro. Chad Griggs. All ages are

A gospel singing will be held will be The Hall Girls from Old Virginia Ave, Opp, Ala. welcomed.

Town, Fla. Also featured will be September 24th-29th, 2007 For more information call Church, Enterprise, Ala. beginning at 7 p.m. nightly. Pastor Buford Smith at (334) Everyone is invited to attend. Speakers will be Bro. Kevin 469-9200 or (334) 504-0529.

See you at The Pote to be held next Church will hold its Sunday, ice will be held at 6 p.m. at Ladies Power Lunch will be Lotz on "I Saw The Lord- A wednesday September 26th at EHS Sept. 23, morning services at Woodland Grove.

Wake Up Call for your Heart". Wednesday September 26th at EHS Pleasant Ridge Church (south of

All ladies are invited to come For more information contact be held next Wednesday, school. The Elba Ministerial a.m., preaching at 11 a.m. foland are urged to bring a friend. Teresa Hall at 334-347-2076 September 26th at Elba High Association encourages the lowed by "Dinner on the School (7:30 a.m.) and at Elba community to come out and Grounds." Elementary School (1:30 p.m.). support these events.

See You at the Pole! a nation- Both gatherings will be held Homecoming services beginal student-led prayer event, will around the flagpoles at each ning with a Gospel sing at 10

Pleasant Ridge will be having

Please Pray For the Persecuted Christians.



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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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Sponsored by: Wachovia & The Elba Clipper

University of Montevallo and ANNIVERSARY OF ROCKY his Ph.D. from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Dr. Doug Dortch special anniversary and share in to hold revival services a celebration luncheon follow-September 23-26 Homecoming and revival

First Baptist Church of Elba to celebrate 125th

Anniversary on October 7th

First Baptist Church of Elba

7, 2007, during the ten o'clock

worship service. Dr. Doug

his Bachelors degree from the

services planned at

Tuesday, September 25.

the grounds."

Homecoming services will be

10 a.m. with a gospel singing,

Gospel Group. Services will

will be celebrating its 125th Anniversary on Sunday, October

Revival services will be held at Goodman Baptist Church, 6561 Co. Rd. 625, Enterprise, AL from September 23 through 26, 2007. Sunday, Sept. 23 serv-Homecoming and revival services will be held at Pleasant ices will be at 11:00 a.m. and Ridge Church (South of 6:00 p.m. Monday thru

held September 23 beginning at Richard Collier. featuring the Old Southern Vanderbilt Holiness continue at 11 a.m. with worship Church to host with Bro. Larry Grimm of Mt. Gospel Concert

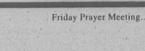
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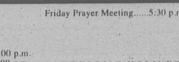
will be followed by "dinner on Vanderbilt Holiness Church Revival services will be held will be having a Gospel Concert September 24-25 beginning at 7 featuring "God's Family from p.m. each night. Guest preacher Banks, AL." on September 22, will be Rev. Buddy Hood of at 6:00 PM. Church is located on Pilgrim Home Baptist Church, Coffee County Route 114 about Wicksburg, Ala. and the music one (1) mile past Wayne Farms. will be lead by Bro. Mark For more info call 334/894-5021 Donaldson of Westview Baptist or 334/347-0569.

Woodland Grove Baptist Church to have their Sunday, September 23rd morning services At Pleasant Ridge

Victoria) Sunday, September 23- Wednesday, Sept. 24-26 services

Woodland Grove Baptist Church's evening worship serv-





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Tuesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
Friday Evening 7:00 p.m.
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
And Worship 11:00 a.m.
OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Nathaniel Fleming, Pastor
2nd & 4th Sun Morn.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
VICTORY TABERNACLE
Sis. Ruby Nell & Doug Lawson, Pastor
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Gary Dunn, Pastor
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Even. Worship 10:00 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet 6:30 p.m.
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Even. Service Wed. Service CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
E. H. Hill, Minister

Sunday School. 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship 10:00 a.m.

SCHOOLS

FFA members prepare cups filled with peanuts during the club's

University of Alabama during the College Fair.

the students said their goodbyes. a success.

by Karen Huckabaa

with a win."

score 28 to 6.

by Yoquesha Terry

spoke to the students fair for area juniors and seniors.

about the high num- Juniors and seniors from EHS,

ber of traffic fatali- as well as, students from

ties in Alabama. He Kinston, New Brockton and

reported that over Zion Chapel attended the col-

7,000 people have lege fair. The fair included more

been killed in than 10 colleges from across

Alabama since 9-11. Alabama and each of the mili-

said, "seat belts and Each student was given the

alcohol are involved opportunity to talk to a represen-

in almost all wrecks, tative and ask any questions he

and almost 3 people or she wanted to know. There

Trooper Nelson tary services.

On Wednesday, Sept. 5, Elba

brochures and information for

by Kimberly Blue

On Tuesday, Sept. 11, Elba

Elementary School held it's annu-

al Grandparent's Day starting at 9

It was a day of great excite-

ment as the student's grandpar-

ents came and saw how the class-

es operated. Each class demon-

strated different activities to keep

the grandparents interested in the

A few of the classes that pre-

ments that were presented by the Headland Rams.

Opening Soon

Skin Care & Related Services

"Where beauty is not only skin deep...

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Tangles Salon

things the students do.

school's PTO.

a.m. and ending at 10:30 a.m.



Tiger

Editors: Erica Daniels & **Kelly Corder**

by Erica Daniels

This week's student spotlight focuses on KaShundra Hardwick.

KaShundra is the 16-year-old daughter of Rita Gray, and is currently a freshman at Elba High. She is a youth member of the Rocky Head Baptist Church. KaShundra's hobbies include talking on the phone, hanging out with family and friends and shopping. She is interested in collecting belts and stuffed animals. After graduation she plans to attend law school.

KaShundra describes herself as smart, pretty, nice and fun to hangout with.



KaShundra Hardwick

Students attend assembly focused on dangers of drinking and driving annual peanut boil held Thursday evening, Sept. 6. in the lives of others. His advice Elba High School hosts College Fair for area students by Erica Daniels

to the students was, "life isn't During an assembly held guaranteed, so make the best of Wednesday, Sept. 12, your life." Trooper Nelson High School hosted a college

Superintendent [Danny Weeks introduced the speakers and welcomed students to the auditorium. The sophomores juniors and seniors of Elba High School assemble

in the auditorium to hear special speakers discuss the dangers of drinking Officer Dean Blair Trooper Tracy Nelson Alabama."

and Alabama State speaks to students Trooper Nelson each college. Students also had Trooper Tracy Nelson were the speakers.

also explained, "If the opportunity to sign up for the you want to be treated like an mailing list for each college. Officer Blair spoke about adult, act like an adult. If you The fair was a huge success, making a difference in life and want respect, give it."



Lady Tigers continue volleyball season The Elba Lady Tigers JV and 17-25.

A rew of the classes that presented something special for the grandparents.

Varsity volleyball teams were Hoping to conquer Straughn, Mrs. Kelley's kindergarten class, scheduled for a tri tournament at the Elba Lady Tigers tried a Mrs. O'Neal's first grade class, Straughn on Tuesday, Sept. 4. fourth time, but fell short with a Mrs. Mitchell's second grade When they arrived, they soon sad loss of 15-25. The final class, Mrs. Johnson's third grade learned that their second oppo- game had everyone expectant, class, Mrs. Dye's fourth grade nent, Geneva, wasn't going to but sadly Elba lost once again class, Mrs. Grimes' fifth grade play; so they prepared for wins with an ending score of 14-16. class and Mrs. Crowe's sixth

team wasn't as victorious. to disaster." 25-20 and 25-17, the varsity Brockton Thursday, Sept. 6.

When asked what she thought grade class. The JV team played first and was the downfall of their match, The majority of the classes was successful in their match, former Elba Lady Tiger, April provided activities such as interwinning the first two of their 2 Price, said, "irreconcilable dif-views for their grandparents, picferences and the inability to pull tures the students colored of their On the other hand, the varsity a team together will always lead grandparents and an introduction of the grandparents to their class. Although their first two games On the brighter side, the Elba The students also showed their

ended with winning scores of Lady Tigers won against New grandparents around the school. Approximately 200 grandparents attended the annual On Friday, Sept. 7, the Elba fumbled the ball away on its

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Elba FFA Chapter holds annual peanut boil

by Meagan Anderson

High School FFA Chapter held peanut boil. The event began at 5 chapter president Bradley Wilson opened the



speaker for the evening, wildlife officer Mike Cox, Coffee County Game Warden.

Officer Cox spoke about the importance of a hunting and fishing license and the safety This week's teacher spotlight procedures for hunting, as well is Coach Wynn Grimes. as current rules and regulations Coach Grimes is the son of of hunting. Approximately 60 James Grimes (Mayor of Elba) people were in attendance, and Henrietta Grimes. He has including FFA members, stu- one sibling, Lisa Grimes.

Coach Grimes is also the Visit the Elba City Schools website at: | www.elbaed.com | team. One can catch this jolly work in his classroom.

Announcements:

ELBA ELEMENTARY, ELBA HIGH SCHOOL: Contact Jane Moseley about this year's Homecoming parade line up. This year's theme is "Classic Rock from the 50s, 60s and 70s." Homecoming is sched-

p.m. Friday, Sept. 21 • J.V. FOOTBALL: Elba vs Brantley Oct. 2

on sale (\$10.00) • BAND CALENDARS are now on sale. (\$5.00)

On Tuesday, Sept. 4, the Elba Junior Varsity Tigers journeyed to battle the Straughn Tigers. The Elba squad came out grandparents started departing as All in all, Grandparent's Day was strong. Gunnar McCollough, Tiger quarterback for the Elba Tigers, played a great game, throwing three touchdown passes with no interceptions.

top, 18 to 6.

prove fruitful.



to victory over the Straughn



Coach Grimes graduated from After Officer Cox's presenta- Troy State University, and he tion, the group enjoyed some now has a position at Elba High good 'ole fashioned southern School as 7th -12th grade histohospitality of conversation and ry teacher. He has been a teacher boiled peanuts. This year's FFA for 13 years now, and he has Peanut Boil was a huge success! taught only at Elba High School.

assistant football coach for the Elba Tigers Varsity football team and head coach of the Golf coach, running up and down the sidelines on Friday nights. cheering on the Elba Tigers or in the hallways of EHS screaming Roll Tide when he's not hard at

· TO COMMUNITY,

· VARSITY FOOTBALL: Elba vs Slocomb Hidel

• VOLLEYBALL: Elba vs college options and to better A student is shown looking at information provided by the Opp (Home) Sept. 24; Elba vs Andalusia (Away) Sept. 25 • SCA T-SHIRTS are now Grandparent's Day held at Elba Elementary School

> Elba J.V. defeats Straughn Tigers

by Kelly Corder

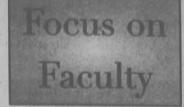
The defense was also strong holding the Straughn team scoreless until the final moments of the game. In the end, the Elba boys came out on

With both a strong offense and defense, the season should Bethany Wilson, a junior varsity cheerleader said, "The boys

did well. I am glad the Tigers Elba defeats Headland in region game The J.V. cheerleaders did a Trey Martin stated: "It was slop- great job of motivating the footpy, but it felt good to win. Elba ball players against Straughn.

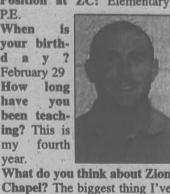
band gave the fans plenty to The Elba Junior Varsity cheer about on their way back to Cheerleaders cheer the Tigers

SCHOOLS



by Brittany Layton & **Brittany Cardwell**

Name: Allen Maness Position at ZC: Elementary When your birthday February 29 How long have you been teach-



What do you think about Zion Chapel? The biggest thing I've noticed is how respectful the What is your favorite thing

about teaching? Working with What are your hobbies? Playing golf.

What clubs/organizations are you involved in? Football and What is your biggest achievement? Winning the 3A AISA Football State Championship.

Auburn or Alabama? Auburn.

Name: Brandon Davis Position at ZC: Reading When is your birthday? November ...

attend? Troy University.

How long have you been teaching? This is my fourth What do

about teaching? I really enjoy helping my students.

time left after that. ment? Graduating from college. Do you have any children? If for college by helping them with be good role models. so, how many? Yes! Three: Dillon, 15; Brianna, 4; Brodie, 8

What college(s) did you attend? Troy University.

Name: Casey Hughes Position at ZC: Secretary When is your birthday? November 28, 1975 What do you think about Zion Chapel? Great people

with warm hospitality What are bies? Playing with my children and shopping What clubs/organizations are you involved in? Member of

Christ Community Church of

What is your biggest achievement? Being a mom What is your most embarrassing moment? While walking down my sidewalk, being a bit nosey and trying to spy on my neighbor, I fell down in front of the company I was with! Do you have any children? If so, how many? Yes; Three:

Sara, Gavin, and Taylor

Eagle!!! Assemblies with purpose planned for ZC students by Kyle Tankersley & Cregg Rushing

Auburn or Alabama? War

This year, principal Bob Hartwell has come up with some (Seniors) new assemblies that are designed to bring the students together for a meaningful and honorable program.

These assemblies will invite people from the community in and help needs outside of school. People will be recogachievements that they have Sept. 27: ZC Volleyball v. Elba; Parts, Service and Accessories nized for their outstanding accomplished. Also, they will broaden the student's horizons. pictures; PTO Meeting at 6:00

The first assembly was sched- pm second Friday in September. County (away); AIM Mentors

Zion Chapel School REBEL NEWS Julie Norris, Sponsor Sheena Hussey, Editor



What college(s) did you BAND OFFICERS (by Kyle Tankersley and Cregg Rushing)...The new 2007 band officers have been elected. Drew Little (top left) is the sergeant, and his responsibilities include loading and unloading the band trailer and transporting water coolers to and from practices. Rebecca Thomson, band captain, keeps order over the entire band. Caitlin White, drum major, directs the band. Chelsia Flowers is the secretary and head majorette. Hillary Davis, lieutenant, keeps the uniforms presentable and in order. Co-captain of the colorguard is Carol Ann Banks. Savannah Cole, colorguard captain, is over the entire colorguard. Landon Peters (bottom right) is the drum captain. Librarian Kayla Tracy keeps up with all music and keeps it in an orderly fashion (not pictured).

Norris/Watson sponsor senior class by Cristen Patterson & resumes and other information needed for college and scholar-

by Rod Rider & Tiffany Bryan year in response to an expressed On Friday, Sept. 7, in recogni- Altrusa of Jack maintains Auburn or Alabama? Alabama tion of International Literacy constant communication with

Day, Altrusa International of the school in order to provide Jack presented third and eighth literacy services whenever posgraders at Zion Chapel Schools sible. Atrusa is a community with a personal Merriam Webster service organization in Jack age-appropriate dictionary. whose primary goal is to pro-Third graders at ZC have been mote literacy.

recipients of the "Dictionaries Altrusa also sponsors the Jack for Word Watchers" project for Day Walk for Literacy, Reading the past four years. Eighth Makes Cents, and gives scholar-



concern of their teachers.

All eighth grade students received a dictionary provided by the local chapter of the Altrusa Club. Eighth graders were recipients this year in response to an expressed concern of their teachers. Altrusa of Jack maintains constant communication with the school in order to provide literacy service whenever possible.

Upcoming Events:

Sept. 17-21: Alabama High (home) School Graduation Exam Oct. 2: ZC Volleyball v. Opp wanted to be a coach, and he is Sept. 20: ZC Volleyball v. New Oct. 3: SGA Meeting

by Sheena-Marie Hussey

Brockton Sept. 21: ZC Football v. McKenzie (home) Sept. 24: ZC JV Football v. New Brockton (away) Sept. 25: ZC Volleyball v.

Sept. 26: Drama Club Meeting School picture retakes & club

uled for Sept. 14, which was the Sept. 28: ZC Football v. Geneva

had great attendance this past summer for their work-out pro-Oct. 1: JV Football v. Kinston gram. Coach Boswell has always (away) grateful for being able to coach at

his own high school. Sanders Motorcycle Shop



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ZC conducting after school AHSGE prep classes

the upcoming test in themselves, and they are work-

by Rod Rider & Tiffany Bryan real class that prepares them for this opportunity to prepare

Every Tuesday and Thursday, September," said Braisted. Kimberly Braisted teaches the Social studies has been after school preparatory class to proven to be the subject with the juniors and seniors who have highest failure rate on the not yet passed the social studies AHSGE. Therefore, this subject part of the Alabama High is the only one that has a School Graduation Exam preparatory class that is current-

This preparatory class is a "My goal is to get all of the free tutorial given to the stu- students to pass the social stud-

"It's no study hall, but it's a The students are thankful for Spanish IV offered as elective at ZC

by Stephanie Berry & Summer Parker

major in Spanish. It will also literature, culture and basic conhelp a student interested in tak- versation skills.

dents and Mrs. Braisted is the ies part of the Alabama High only person who offers this School Graduation Exam," said

grammar and also adds literature

and conversation skills. The class This year, Spanish IV is being is primarily taught in Spanish. offered as a new elective com- "Espanol IV es muy divertibined with Spanish III. Spanish da," says Senora Bentley. IV is a course designed to help Spanish IV does a basic review students to plan to minor or of the first two years and adds

The course reviews basic

ing a Clep test. This will allow Both Spanish III and IV pracstudents to possibly skip the tice speaking Spanish in order to beginner classes and start at the make the students more comfortable speaking Spanish.



ship applications. Both sponsors COLORGUARD (by Brittany Cardwell and Brittany petitions this year. I love these The Zion Chapel High School were responsible for the organi- Layton)... The Zion Chapel Marching Rebel Band is ready to kick girls!" The 2007 Twirlers are senior class sponsors are Julie zation of Senior Parent Night. off the upcoming season. One of the more visual sections of the Kayla Bagwell, Julia Harrell. Norris and Paige Watson. They are in charge of making band, the colorguard, has been hard at work. The new band director, Andrea Fuller, Chelsia Flower This is the first year that Norris the seniors wear appropriate Erin McLaughlin, said of the group, "They are a great group of hard (captain), and Samantha Bryan What are your hobbies? My and Watson have sponsored the dress for honors day and gradu- working girls. They want nothing more than to be the best... and (feature twirler). kids and church! There isn't any senior class. They take care of ation. They instruct the seniors they will get there at the rate they are going this year." The 10 memthe seniors' schedules or events how to sit and act properly durbers are: (bottom row, left to right) Amber Grissette, Kayla Tracy, Senior parent night What is your biggest achieve- that involve the seniors. ing graduation. They also Savannah Cole (captain), Marissa Bludsworth and Kayla Pope; (top held at Zion Chapel Norris helps seniors prepare remind the seniors about how to row, left to right) Haley Ellis, Shelby Maxie, Carolann Banks (co-

captain). Camrey Matthews and Cera Adkins.



In recognition of International Literacy Day (Sept. 7), Altrusa International of Jack presented all 3rd and 8th graders at Zion Chapel School with a personal Merriam Webster age appropriate ate and passed out a "Senior dictionary. Jennifer Flowers, president of the local Altrusa chapter, Checklist" to inform students presented dictionaries to all 3rd grade students as part of Literacy and parents of the credits they Day. Third graders have been recipients of the "Dictionaries for

Word Watchers" project for the past four years.

in the 2007-2008 school year.

to the table this year by the new

head coach, Thomas Boswell.

experience as assistant coach of

Chapel has a great bunch of sen-

iors this year that are showing

fabulous leadership. Zion Chapel

stepping up as head coach.

Coach Thomas Boswell returns to his roots lege scholarships and financial

is looking forward to a great year said Boswell. High expectations are brought

by Tiffany Bryan & Rod Rider "The team can be as good as ents that the senior class would they want to be if they keep, taking a trip on Sept. 5 to the The Zion Chapel football team pushing toward their goals," College Fair in the Elba High School lunchroom.



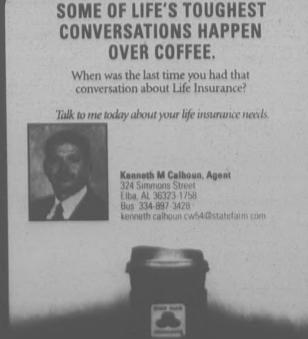
MAJORETTES (by Brittany Layton & Cardwell)...The Zion Chapel Marching Rebel Band has acquired some new talent for the 2007 football season. The majorette line now consists of five girls. "The majorettes are awesome this year," said majorette captain Chelsia Flowers regarding the upcoming year. "I feel like we will receive superior ratings at all the com

by Misti Miller & Sheena-Marie Hussey

On Tuesday, Aug. 21, many seniors and their parents gath ered in the high school auditori-

um for senior parent night. Julie Norris and Paige Watson, senior class sponsors. passed out information packets with important guidelines on graduation attire and appropriate graduation protocol. Norris talked about what is expected of the senior class at Senior Honor's Day, Baccalaureate and Graduation. Bob Hartwell, principal, spoke to the seniors about some of the special things that may be offered to them during

the upcoming year. Cara Knighten spoke to par ents about academic requirements needed in order to graduneed in order to graduate. Knighten also talked about colaid. She announced to the par-



PUBLIC NOTICES

tioned section and containing ees, radio and paging equip-

that strip of land lying to the East and association dues and con-of that certain fence running tinuing education expenses. The

mately twenty feet (20') West of county general fund by the

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bill substantially as follows will sion of the Legislature of Alabama commencing after the lication of this notice, and application for its passage and enact- ACT

court costs in the municipal, district, and circuit courts of the county, to further provide for the 90-435,; relating to prior referendum procedures, and a termina tion date for the court costs; and to repeal Act 90-316, 1990 Regular Session (Acts 1990 n 430), a duplicate act on this sub-

ISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Session (Acts 1990, p. 599), are Section 2. All costs assessed monies paid into the Jail Fund or appointed county shall be expended by the county "(b) An or elected or appointed exclusively for the payment of Coffee County official may not KENT D. shall be expended by the county ing, planning, equipping, mainte- after the effective date of this nance, repair, and operation of amendment. Any person who, Section 3. In addition to any

convicted of the offense of selling and/or trafficking a controlled in that supernumerary program ibstance shall be taxed five which shall include the assumphundred dollars (\$500) upon tion of a supernumerary office conviction, the five hundred dol- according to the terms and con- NOTICE is hereby given that a COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ars (\$500) tax to be paid to the ditions of the law which estabment of the cost of construction, gram. Every elected or appointviction as additional court costs." tions as may be specified by law ment will be made. Section 2. Sections 4 and 5 of for any other employee in the Act 90-435, 1990 Regular same retirement system. Coffee

Section 3. Act 90-316, 1990 amendment shall be eligible to becoming law.

8/30, 9/6, 13, 20-chg.

cation for its passage and enact- laws of this state. ment will be made:

1375), to further provide for the ment:

amended to read as follows: Section 1. (a) Except as provid- "Proposed by Act _ the Coffee County Commission "Yes () No ()." shall be held at the New Brockton Farm Complex located 8/30, 9/6, 13, 20-chg. on U.S. Highway 84 in New

now appearing as Section 5, Section 27, T6N, R19E, Coffee vacancy in the Elba Division of East 210 feet to a point which is Section 31 and all that part of Local Amendments, Coffee County, Alabama, and from said Coroner or the Enterprise 30 feet West of said quarter line; the S ½ of NW ¼ of Section 31

ACT

Amendment 633 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section 5. The Coffee County Road 360 (dirt oracle) the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section 5. The Coffee County Road 360 (dirt oracle) the Coff sheriff to participate in the State the NE 1/4 of the above men- approved rates for state employ- AS DESCRIBED BY THAT ISLATURE OF ALABAMA: Section 1. The following amend-ment to the Constitution of county jail and to delete certain Alabama of 1901, is proposed provisions relating to the use of and shall become valid as a part county jail by municipalities; to of the Constitution when all described property. repeal Sections 4 and 5 of Act requirements of this act are ful-

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Amendment 633 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section 5, Local Amendments, Coffee BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEG- County, Official Recompilation of the Constitution of Alabama of Tax Liens and/or Special 1901, as amended, is amended Assessments of any nature, if to read as follows:

The property is being sold "as is, will be disposed of October 1, 2007. "(a) For the purposes of this amendment, the words "elected without warranty or recourse or appointed county official" pursuant to this act shall be col-shall mean any person holding expressed or implied as to title, lected by the court clerk as other court costs are collected and distributed to the county for program, including the sheriff, or pose of paying the indebtedness deposit in a special fund designary person appointed to serve secured by said mortgage, as nated as the Jail Fund. All the remaining term of an elected well as the expenses of foreclo-

MCPHAIL the cost of construction, financ- assume a supernumerary office DUMAS & MCPHAIL, L.L.C. Attorney for Mortgage Holder 126 Government Street on the effective date of this amendment, is entitled to particother court costs, any person ipate in a supernumerary pro- 9-6, 13, 20-chg gram may continue to participate

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bill substantially as follows will ELBA DIVISION Jail Fund, to be used for the pay- lished that supernumerary pro- be introduced in the next session of the Legislature of financing, planning, equipping, ed Coffee County official may Alabama commencing after the RICHARDSON, participate in the Employees' fourth consecutive week of pub-Retirement System of Alabama lication of this notice, and applicosts shall be taxed upon con- upon the same terms and condi- cation for its passage and enact- v.

Session (Acts 1990, p. 599), are County officials holding office at A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff the time of the ratification of this ACT

Case No. CV-06-60-H Section 3. Act 90-316, 1990 amendment shall be eligible to Regular Session (Acts 1990, p. 430), is repealed.

Section 4. This act shall become effective immediately following its passage and approval by the Governor, or its otherwise service credit in the Elba Division and the According to Coffee County; to Porvide for the consolidated office of coroner by abolishing above-stated cause rendered on the Elba Division and the Elba Division; to provide for a chief deputy coroner; to South 01 degrees 30 minutes 31 section 35, Township 6, thence leaving said right or way purchase service credit in the paved Farm-to-Market Road, office of coroner by abolishing above-stated cause rendered on the Elba Division and the Elba Division and the Elba Division; to provide for a chief deputy coroner; to South 01 degrees 30 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 28 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 30 minutes 31 seconds West 390.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 30 minutes 31 s supernumerary office and must provide for payment of expenses satisfy said decree, I will sell to Johnny B. Spurlin Place, which East 390.00 feet to a point on make the election within one year of the office of coroner; and to year of the effective date of this amendment."

of the office of coroner; and to year of the effective date of this amendment."

of the office of coroner; and to place is about four miles North the south right of way of said CASH, at public sale, at the of Elba, Alabama, containing Coffee County Highway #239

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEG- Courthouse door in Elba, 110 acres, more or less. Said (40 feet from centerline); thence Section 2. An election upon the ISLATURE OF ALABAMA

laws of this state. immediately upon the occur-Section 3. The appropriate elec-rence of the vacancy, the Elba onds East 432.53 feet; thence EASEMENT ONE: Beginning A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN

ACT

To be in the second se Relating to Coffee County; to amend Act 91-706 of the 1991 stance or subject matter of the Elba Division and Act 1991, p. Proposed constitutional amend-free County is established. The 1240.66 feet; thence South 89 Deed Book 104A, at Pages 292-degrees 13 minutes 49 seconds the Coroner of the Elba Division and the Coroner of the Enterprise West 1287.20 feet to the point of the coroner of the Enterprise with the Enterprise with the Coroner of the Enterprise with the Cor 1375), to further provide for the meeting place of the county commission in the event of an emergency situation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEG-ISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

The Colorler of the Enterprise of the case may be, remaining in office shall be the posing an amendment to constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as section 5, ISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

The Colorler of the Enterprise of the case may be, remaining in office shall be the being situated in the SW ¼ of Section 35, SW ¼ of NE ¼, thence running in a point; the point of the Enterprise point and the case may be posing an amendment to coroner of Coffee County, Alabama, and containing 5.287 acres.

Employees' Retirement System. elected at the general election ¼, the East ½ of the SW ¼, and the point of beginning. and every four years thereafter, in the SE 1/4 of Section 35 Mission."

A. NELSON as Mortgagors, to that is the salary of a member of degree 33 minutes 26 seconds a triangle.

Section 2. This act shall become GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC the Coffee County Commission, West 3342.47 feet; thence North

bill substantially as follows will and 35-10-2, the following not less than eighteen thousand PARCEL:

and egress across said Tract
be introduced in the next ses
described real property will be dollars (\$18,000) per year, which Commencing at a point in the Two which begins at the point sion of the Legislature of sold at public outcry, for cash, to shall be paid in the same man- SE corner of the SE ¼ of NW ¼, where the above described tri- Attorney for Petitioner(s): Alabama commencing after the fourth consecutive wise of public curring the legal hours of sale, cation for its passage and enactment will be made:

Synopsis: This bill would pro
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County, Alabama, being more any other employee of the counWest 210 feet to a point; thence Constitution of Alabams of 1901, menoing at the NE corner of Section 5. Beginning upon a South 420 feet to a point; thence PARCEL THREE: The SW 1/4 of

CERTAIN INSTRUMENT RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE JUDGE OF PROBATE, COFFEE COUNTY, ELBA DIVI-SION, IN OR BOOK 23A PAGES 292-293, IDENTIFYING THE SERVIENT TENEMENTS Section 7. This act shall become AS TRACTS ONE AND TWO effective on the first day of the AND EASEMENTS AS EASE-FOLLOWS:

more or less, lying in and being a part of the NW ¼ of NE ¼ of Section 35, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point on the River Road which runs from Victoria Paved Road, where the same is intersected by the West line of the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Pages 557-559). Section 35, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and from said Said Parcel Three being more point of beginning running in an particularly described as follows point; thence running in a or parcel of land lying in the Southerly direction along a line West ½ of Section 31, Township

parallel with the West line of said 6 North, Range 21 East, Coffee forty a distance of 208 feet to a County, Alabama, being more point; thence running in a particularly described as follows Westerly direction along a line parallel with the South right of way line of said road a distance of Coffee County Highway #239 of 255 feet to a point on the (40 feet from the centerline) and West line of said forty, and the west line of said Section 31 thence running in a Northerly thence South 00 degrees 32 direction along the West line of minutes 56 seconds West said forty a distance of 208 feet 1577.01 feet; thence South 00 to the point of beginning. Said degrees 40 minutes 06 seconds tract conveyed by W.M. Hornsby East 1878.60 feet; thence South and Mozell H. Hornsby, husband 89 degrees 29 minutes 52 sec-and wife, to Janaria H. Thomas onds East 2655.12 feet; thence and Wilda H. Hayes, by North 00 degrees 06 minutes 10 Warranty Deed dated the 7th of seconds East 3288.00 feet to a May, 1993 and filed for record in point on the south right of way of Deed Book 104A, at Pages 292- said Coffee County Highway-DONNA M. WYROSDICK- 293, in aforesaid Probate Office. #239 (40 feet from center

TRACT TWO: S 1/2 of NE 1/4, and North 88 degrees 29 minutes 29 all that part of N 1/2 of NE 1/4, all seconds West 1182.52 feet; Alabama, of said County, the tract being conveyed by Donald along said right of way along a LEGAL NOTICE

Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment shall be solid in accordance with solid substantially as follows will substantially as follows will substantially as follows will sign of the Legislature of Alabama commencing after the fourth consecutive week of publication of this notice, and application of this notice, and application of this notice, and application for its passage and enactive method in accordance with apply in Coffee County.

Section 1. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment shall be section 1. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

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Section 3. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

Section 4. The expiration of following described propert, viz. to Donald McCollough, husband and wife, following described propert, viz. The constitution of Alabama of 1901, apply in Coffee County.

Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment shall be section 1. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

Section 5. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

Section 6. The expiration of the county or if a variant shall be proposed amendment shall be proposed amendment shall be apply in Coffee County.

Section 7. This act shall only apply in Coffee County.

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Solidary in the expiration of the expiration of the expiration of the county.

Solidary in the current term of office of the southwest corner of SW ¼ of the southwest corner of SW

Section 1. Section 1 of Act 91706 of the 1991 Regular
Session (Acts 1991, p.1375), is

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Section 1. Section 1 of Act 91The Constitution of Alabama of general election by majority vote shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner shall be East ½ of the NW of the Old River Road back to the Ight of Way, the Interpretation of the Constitution of Alabama of general election by majority vote shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State shall be the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being situated in the State like the Coroner of Coffee lying and being

"Section 1. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), all regular,
special, and called meetings of special and called meeting and called Section 3. The coroner shall appoint a chief deputy coroner from the judicial circuit division the judicial circuit division at the southeast corner of said Southerly direction and the southeast corner of said Southerly direction along the of the county where the elected Section 35; thence North 01 West line of said forty for a dis- NOTICE TO: John Molitoron U.S. Highway 84 in New Brockton, Alabama.

"(b) In the event of an emergency or disaster situation, when it is impractical to meet at the New Brockton Farm Complex, the Coffee County place in the county as determined by the chair of the commission.

Of the county where the elected coroner does not reside.

Section 35; thence North 01 degrees 52 minutes 12 seconds tance of 60 feet to a point; and of 60 feet to a point; a

Coroner or the Enterprise 30 feet West of said quarter line; the S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 31 County, Official Recompilation of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, to allow the sheriff to participate in the State Employees' Retirement System.

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN To propose an amendment to Amandment 633 to the State County of Amandment 633 to the State County of the Cou To propose an amendment to distance of 667.92 feet to a set absence of the coroner.

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South right of way line of Coffee

County Blacktop Farm to Market Road No. 79 where the West section line of Section 31 intersects said right of way line in the S 1/2 of NW 1/4 and from said ref erence point run thence East along the South margin of said road a distance of 250 yards and to the point of beginning of the MENTS ONE AND TWO AS tract of land hereby conveyed and from said beginning point TRACT ONE: One lot or parcel of Coffee County Road No. 79 of land containing one acre, for a distance of 250 yards, thence South for a distance o 130 yards, thence at right angles West and parallel with the South Road No. 79 for a distance o 250 yards; thence at right angles South right of way line of the Old North for a distance of 130 yards and to the South right of way line Snellgrove Mill to the Elba- of Coffee County Road No 79 and to the point of beginning (Reference Deed Book 81A

Newman-904 South right of way line of said enue, Anniston, road a distance of 255 feet to a local particularly described as follows by Plat of Survey prepared by Charles A. Botts, Botts and Ray, Inc., dated March 20, 2007: A lot in Section 35, Township 6, thence leaving said right of way

(Subject to any riparian rights)

Laura A. Wyrosdick Attorney for Counter-

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF ADOPTION PETITION OF

NOTICE OF HEARING

hearing on the same in said Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately following its passage and approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

8/30, 9/6, 13, 20-chg.

8/30, 9/6, Court in the city of Elba,

PUBLIC NOTICES

through Thursday (telephone 334/894-6112). No proposal fee The Estate of Drexel Cook, is required.

NOTICE TO FILE CLAIMS

CASE NO. PC-07-044

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Drexel Cook, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 301 day of August, 2007, by the Honorable William O. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama. Notice 9-6,13,20-chg is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate that they are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or Remember set for Oct. 13 are encouraged to participate. they will be barred.

/s/ Nell Young Cook Nell Young Cook Personal Representative

Samson Rd., Elba, AL 36323. If above address. Make: Ford VIN #: 1FACP42E0PF208935

8/30, 9/6, 13, 20-pd. PROBATE COURT OF COF-

FEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF: BOBBY RAY SPURLIN,PC-94-

CYNTHIA ZORN, PC-03-17 ARMSTRONG, ALBERT, PC-WARE, BILLY, PC-97-27 LISA OWENS, PC-98-10 JOHNNY DRAUGH, PC-01-88 THOMAS SPIVEY, PC-98-47

SAMI CREEL, PC-03-43 NOTICE OF HEARING ON Registration for walkers and the By MaChis Tribe

/s/ William O. Gammill William O. Gammill Judge of Probate 9/6, 13, 20-chg.

Sealed bids will be received by WHIP applications the Coffee County Commission at the Office Complex in New Brockton, Alabama, until 9:00 A.M., September 24, 2007, and

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

ANNUAL HOT ASPHALT

Placing 429 Plant Mix Binder
Layer on a primed or existing
Applications received by Applications received by Special service by Pastor Paul

Apply DEET repellent on asphalt roadway surfaces;

issue a second and third 12 possible.

Commission for an amount of Brockton. For more information towards the youth. Saturday effective. 5% of bid (maximum - \$10,000) call 334-894-5581, ext. 3. must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

Specifications and Proposals may be obtained at the Coffee County Engineer's Office, 1165 East McKinnon Street, New Brockton, Alabama from 6:30 A.M. until 5:00 P.M., Monday

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS NRCS announces

The EQIP program, adminis-

tered by NRCS, provides techni-

cal and financial assistance to

IN THE PROBATE COURT The bidder's proposal must be FTY2008 submitted on the complete origi COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA nal proposal furnished him by the Coffee County Commission Bids will be received only from contractors duly licensed by the (NRCS) is accepting applica-State Licensing Board for tions for the fiscal year 2008
General Contractors.

Environmental Quality

> bids is reserved. Jim Thompson, Chairman Coffee County Commission

The right to reject any or all

Alzheimer's Walk to at Westgate Park The Alzheimer's Resource help eligible agricultural pro-

Center's annual A Walk to ducers address soil, water, air, Remember will be held and related natural resource con-Saturday, Oct. 13, at Westgate cerns on their operations. EQIP

Bullock, Chambers, Coffee, planting, forest stand improve Covington, Dale, Elmore, ment, site preparation for natural Macon, Montgomery, Pike and analysis leading to better forest Panhandle are also in the service include control of invasive r e a species, Healthy Forestry

everyone. A \$10 minimum encourage landowners to use have been 13 cases of West Nile cases in Montgomery. to obtain additional contribu- limited resource farmers. of \$85,000. Each walker who tact the local NRCS office at the counties. are invited to design special to identify their groups. before, during and after the

PETITION FOR PARTIAL OR Registration for walkers on the Registration for walkers on the day of the walk will begin at 7:30 a.m., team photos will be made at 8 a.m., opening cererest Please take notice that the Petition for Partial or Final Settlement of the CONSERVATORSHIPS of the above cases

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COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA NRCS is accepting

Wearing on primed or existing These programs provide cost- "A Night to Honor the God of for clothes - not for application • Follow the label instructions sand. asphalt roadway surfaces; share assistance for installation Israel" with a Shabbat Service. on the skin. existing asphalt surfaces; practices on private lands. the Sabbath and releases God's contact with eyes, lips and nasal for clothes - not for application "doughnuts." 429 Plant Mix, Practices include things such as blessings and prosperity over membranes. Widening and Tack Coat on an tree planting, prescribed burn- our lives and family. This will be • Use concentrations of less than • When using repellents avoid asphalt surface; ing, native grass planting, and followed by the presentation of 10 percent when applying Placing Bituminous "G" October 26, 2007, will be con- Barkocy of North Carolina that Apply DEET repellent on

Ministries

Small Ads Work! You're Reading One.

7 at 1 PM.

week of the event.

EQIP Sign-up for Alabama USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP). The first batching date to rank eligible contracts is October 26, 2007. Alabama landowners, including limited resource producers and new or beginning farmers, who have resource concerns on pasture land, cropland, forest, or land used for wildlife

Park in Dothan. generally supports a wide vari- LANDMARK PARK TO HOST CORN HARVESTING PROGRAM - Visitors to Landmark Park "This will be our 15th annual ety of activities: the establish- in Dothan will have the opportunity on Saturday, Sept. 22 to participate in an old-fashioned "corn The following vehicles are con- walk." Kay Jones, executive ment of permanent covers, ero- pulling" and learn how important the crop was to the Wiregrass farmer of the early 1900's. Participants sidered abandoned at director of the Alzheimer's sion control, grazing protection, will venture into the cornfield to help park staff gather the ears and learn how corn was grown and used.

Christopher Raerosch, 381 Old Resource Center of Dothan, wildlife habitat enhancement, Shown (L-R)helping gather the crop are park volunteers George Eckenroth, Sid Brannon, the park's s a i d soil quality, and various water farm manager, and Emma Eckenroth. The program begins at 10:00am and is free with park admission Alabama counties served by the quality protection systems. Admission to the park is \$4.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children, with free admission for park mem-October 1st, 2007 at an auction Alzheimer's Resource Center Forestry practices which are bers. Registration is required and can be made by calling the park office at 334-794-3452. Landmark open to public at 8:00 a.m. at include Autauga, Barbour, generally supported include tree Park is located on Hwy 431 in Dothan and serves as Alabama's Official Museum of Agriculture.

> Geneva, Henry, Houston, Lee, regeneration and forest stand Alabama West Nile virus cases increase in 2007, with Russell. Parts of the Florida management. Special initiatives most cases in Montgomery

a special 2007 A Walk to Brockton. For more information tant state health officer for dis-Marshall and Montgomery treated skin with soap and water. Remember T-shirt. Teams also call 334-894-5581, ext.3. ease control and prevention, counties. said, "We urge the public to fol- Dr. Charles Woernle, assistant lents containing citronella can shirts of carry banners or signs low personal protection and state health officer for disease help, but their range is limited to identify their groups control massures until temperature control massures until temperature control and prevention said. control measures until tempera- control and prevention, said, . Herbals such as cedar, gerani-Refreshments will be provided 2007 to be observed tures decrease enough to slow "We urge the public to follow um, pennyroyal, lavender, cinmosquito activity -- when night- personal protection and control namon, and garlic are not very time temperatures reach the measures until temperatures effective. fifties." decrease enough to slow mos- PERSONAL PROTECTION!

Anyone interested in serving as a sponsor or participating in A walk to Remember is encouraged to call the Alzheimer's Resource Center at (334) 702
Resource Center at (334) 702
Anyone interested in serving as planned for the youth on Friday evening October 5th and Saturday afternoon October 6th which will include music by and mosquito-borne viruses:

Health officials remind the public of these practical strate-gies to prevent mosquito bites and mosquito-borne viruses:

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Health Resource Center at (334) 702- Lightwalker Music Ministries PERSONAL PROTECTION; lic of these practical strategies • Stock ornamental ponds with CARE (702-2273) for informa- from Kansas City. The Friday CLOTHING AND AROMAT- to prevent mosquito bites and mosquito fish or use larvicide evening music is scheduled for ICS later in the evening so that the • Wear loose-fitting, light-col- PERSONAL PROTECTION; • Replace porch lights with yel-

Annual bid for supplying and placing Hot Asphalt Plant Mix for the Coffee County Highway Department. Bid

NRCS) is now taking applications and one of the complete Torahs known to exist. He added.

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Follow the label instructions of the la Highway Department. Bid under the Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP). Placing 429 Plant Mix, Therefore Program (WHIP). The program of the Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP). Permethrin repellents are only Permethrin repellents are only Permethrin repellents are only Permethrin repellents. Permethrin repellents are only Permethrin repellents are only Permethrin repellents. Permethrin repellents are only Perm

Treatment and Machine sidered for funding this year. will show forth the Glory of God arms, legs, and other exposed Grading Shoulders.

Applications received after that date may not be considered until next year, so sign up as soon as possible.

Will show forth the Glory of God areas, but never under clothing.

and His goodness towards us. The night will conclude with music by Lightwalker Music possible.

Will show forth the Glory of God areas, but never under clothing.

After returning indoors, wash music by Lightwalker Music possible.

Citronella candles and repelmonth contract under the same The first step for producers Saturday October 6 will be a help, but their range is limited. payable to the Coffee County Service Center in New Lightwalker music geared namon, and garlic are not very Milk evening events at 6 PM will fea- PERSONAL PROTECTION; ture a special worship service, AROUND THE HOME

New Testament being read on hours.

The Alabama Department of Alabama West Nile virus cases contact with eyes, lips and nasal The Oct. 13 walk is open to Initiative (which is designed to Public Health reports that there increase in 2007, with most membranes.

virus this summer, eight of The Alabama Department of • Use concentrations of less than donation is requested per walkprescribed burning), and pracwhich have occurred in the City

Public Health reports that there 10 percent when applying
which have occurred in the City er, and walkers are encouraged tices designed especially for of Montgomery. Three persons have been 13 cases of West Nile DEET-containing products on with fatal cases of the disease virus this summer, eight of children. tions to help the Alzheimer's Producers who would like to were residents of Butler, which have occurred in the City • Apply DEET repellent on DEBORAH ROGERS, PC-95- Resource Center reach its goal make an application should con- Marshall, and Montgomery of Montgomery. Three persons arms, legs, and other exposed raises \$50 or more will be given Farm Service Center in New Dr. Charles Woernle, assis- were residents of Butler, • After returning indoors, wash

TORSHIPS of the above cases will be one-mile, three-mile and Church, is non-denominational Nile virus do not get sick, some person. has been filed in this court by Carolyn Butcher, County Conservator praying for Carolyn Butcher, County Conservator, praying for Conservator, praying f The Alzheimer's Resource Coffee County Farm hospitalization. Twelve of the some people get encephalitis • Mosquitoes breed in standing The Court has been set this Center is currently seeking Center 1065 East McKinnon 13 cases involved encephalitis. (inflammation of the brain) and water; empty all water from old cause for hearing on Tuesday, sponsors for the walk-a-thon Street, New Brockton, AL on Symptoms of encephalitis require hospitalization. Twelve tires, cans, jars, buckets, drums, September 25, 2007, at 10:00 and is accepting registrations. Friday, Saturday and Sunday include severe headache, confusion of the 13 cases involved plastic wading pools, toys, and a.m. in the Propate Office of the Court of t Elba, Alabama. You may be walkers who wish to participate. will begin Friday evening at 7 The age range of patients is encephalitis include severe • Clean clogged gutters. present and contest said petition Teams may be made up of two PM and concludes Sunday after- from 15 to 86 years. The total of headache, confusion, coma and Remove the rim from potted if you think proper to do so. or more co-workers, club mem- noon. There will be music, fel- 13 cases so far this year com- d e a t h . plants and replace water in A Done this 30th day of August, 2007.

Done this 30th day of August, 2008.

Done this 30th d

youth can come by after the ored clothes to help prevent CLOTHING AND AROMAT- low light bulbs that will attract Friday night football games. mosquitoes from reaching the ICS Saturday afternoon is family and skin and to retain less heat, mak- • Wear loose-fitting, light-col- • Mosquitoes breed in standing youth day and will be held at ing yourself less "attractive" to ored clothes to help prevent water; empty all water from old 2:00 featuring Lightwalker mosquitoes. Mosquitoes are mosquitoes from reaching the tires, cans, jars, buckets, drums, Music that begins at 2:00. more attracted to dark colors, skin and to retain less heat, mak-plastic wading pools, toys, and According to Chief James • When possible, wear long ing yourself less "attractive" to other containers. A.M., September 24, 2007, and at that time publicly open for constructing the following:

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Resources Conservation Service

Wright, the Tribe will have on display their 1000 year old constructing the following:

Resources Conservation Service
Torah, which is the first five grant hair sprays, lotions and when possible, wear long plants and replace water in plant/flower vases weekly

and concludes Sunday October * Mosquito activity peaks at

dusk and again at dawn; restrict The tribe will also feature the outdoor activity during these

with fatal cases of the disease areas, but never under clothing. · Citronella candles and repel-

mosquito-borne viruses: "doughnuts." fewer

left by fallen trees with dirt or

when applying repellents. • Stock ornamental ponds with Placing 429 Plant Mix, of wildlife habitat enhancement The Shabbat service celebrates • When using repellents avoid Permethrin repellents are only mosquito fish or use larvicide

> Elba Elementary School Menu

BREAKFAST

Sausage Patty, Cereal, Juice, Butterbeans, Sweet Potato Pattie, Roll,

lents containing citronella can Monday - Cheese Sandwich, Monday - Pizza, Broccoli w/Cheese,

pricing, terms and conditions. should be to contact the local family and youth fest beginning • Herbals such as cedar, gerani-A certified check or bid bond NRCS office at the Farm at 2:00 and will feature um, pennyroyal, lavender, cinLink Sausage, Cereal, Juice, Potatoes, W/Gravy, Peas & Carrots, Roll, Wednesday - Scrambled Watermelon, Milk Eggs, Toast & Jelly, Cereal, Wednesday - Fishburger, Cole Slaw, Baked Beans, Sliced Peaches, Milk Juice, Milk Thursday - Biscuit/Jelly, Thursday - Chicken Noodle Soup, Com

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Views From.... **PRESSBOX**

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

I have never been a real fan of cell phones, but since the girls have both moved to Troy I will admit I use the phone more than ever as girls, and just hearing their voice makes a big difference.

ELBA GETS BIG REGION WIN ON THE ROAD

27-7 road win over Dale County, and all of the sudden the Tigers Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator dropped by late Sunday afternoon Geneva County 27 Samson 13 even score a point. Elba has now bounced back from its disappoint- 74-19, and appears to be on a roll! ing loss to Brantley to post two region wins on the road, and with three of the remaining region games at home, the Tigers have to like ELBA VS. SLOCOMB that, Elba went to its running game, and in the fourth quarter alone ELBA 26 SLOCOMB 25 eighth-grader Michel Lindsey ran for almost 100 yards and two more scores. Now that the Elba offense has proven it can move the BRANTLEY VS. ARITON ball on the ground and in the air, it should make opposing coaches play honest on defense and not load up to stop one particular thing. week, and this week will host a litter of funny looking kitties that Eufaula 16 Greenville 13

AREA TEAMS GO 2-2 ON WET WEEK OF PLAY

quite as wet on the sidelines at New Brockton or Brantley as both the kitties should be on the run heading back out of town. teams claimed big region wins. Here's a quick look back...

*** New Brockton (2-1) outscored previously unbeaten Geneva County 34-26 and all of the sudden are very much alive in the region throughout the game, and every time Geneva County would score, like the team they were expected to be.

*** Brantley (3-0) had little problem with Zion Chapel as the The Elba Tigers will be look- season in 2006, but returns a real run at he region title. Last break a long run, and we have to Bulldogs raced out to a 32-0 halftime lead and then splashed their ing to run their winning streak seven starters on defense and six season Abbeville sneaked up on lock up on hi to prevent any big way to a 38-8 win. The Bulldogs used the game as an opportunity to to three games and remain unde- on offense, and hopes were high everybody and made a run at the plays. The defense has shown try a few wrinkles on offense and to get a lot of younger players feated in the region Friday night over in Red Top country that the title, and this year Slocomb is impro actual game experience. From that standpoint it was a successful when they host the surprising losing ways of the past were doing the same thing. On games, and this week will get night. Other than that, it was little more than a scrimmage as the Slocomb Red Tops, in a key indeed in the past. Bulldogs scored almost at will and made it look easy, again.

*** Kinston (0-3) celebrated homecoming against Providence The Tigers improved to 2-0 in losing as I was," said Coach time and are effective both run- one we need to win if we are to and fell to 0-3 on the season with a 36-7 region loss to the Eagles. region play last week with a big Mitchell in a preseason interning and passing, while over on continue to move our program The Bulldogs had their chances early to make it a game, but once 27-7 road win over Dale view. "When you get to that defense they are very aggressive in the right direction. It won't be the rains started falling so did their hopes of a comeback. The game County, while the Warriors also lowest point, you have to make and try to dominate the line of easy, but that is okay with us. was called in the third quarter after a long delay for lightning and moved to 2-0 in the region with a decision if you are going to scrimmage. Slocomb is without We know we have to work hard heavy rain. So, at least maybe the Kinston students made it to the a 34-6 romp past Headland. stay there or do whatever you a doubt the best region opponent to win, no matter the opponent. dance on time, even if they got soaked at the ball game.

*** Zion Chapel (0-3) rolled up over 200 yards of total offense son and no one really paid it a we were so young we had to will be a big game for both of when we take the field Friday in its 38-8 loss to Brantley, and found its passing game in the lot of attention prior to the sea- keep it real simple. We were not us. Because we both have the night process. The Rebels trailed big at the half and were never really in son." said Elba's Coach Scott very strong and definitely not chance to be 3-0 in the region at When asked about last week's position to win, but played hard for all flour quarters and showed Rials, "but they got back their very fast. In the off-season, the the midway point in the region win over Dale County, Coach improvement in a couple of areas. The Rebels need something good best running back from two kids re-committed themselves to race." to happen to pump confidence into the players and fans, and when years back and had a big 245- the weight program and got "If we are going to have a a region game on the road it is a it happens - look out for these guys to pull off a few surprises.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH....

*** Alabama scored late to escape with a wild 41-38 win over made the players around them a year ago have already paid with a mental toughness," said what they gave us, and were Arkansas, and the late heroics made most Tide fans forget the fact better. Slocomb is for real, and huge dividends for Slocomb. Coach Rials. "On offense we successful in making adjust-Alabama blew an early three-touchdown lead and John Parker will be fired up Friday night Running back Jermaine need to be effective ments as the game went along. Wilson once again looked like anything but a polished college quar- when they come over here Williams (5-9, 170) led the Red both running and passing, and Early on they gave us the pass terback. It was a great win for the Crimson Tide, and to win in the knowing a win will almost cer- Tops as a freshman, but was put points on the scoreboard and we took advantage of it to fourth quarter is always extra sweet for the players. However, there tainly put them in the state play- ineligible last season. This sea- when we get the chance. We score two touchdowns, while in are many more battles ahead and a lot more football left to play.

don't know how to act after several years of nothing but success. My KINSTON VS. FLORALA Auburn buddy predicted back before the season began the Tigers

*** Troy has to be commended for its big win over Oklahoma a few scrap after the kitties leave. State. The Trojans played two of the top teams in the nation the open- FLORALA 46 KINSTON 12 ing two weeks on the road and lost both games. My guess was the Trojans were beat up and might not have much left against the highscoring Cowboys. Boy was I wrong! Troy came out ready to play and simply ran the Cowboys off the field in one of its most impressive wins ever. The only bad thing about the win is that now many other

so-called "big name" teams might refuse to visit South Alabama. *** The Elba youth football teams hosted Brantley last weekend I try at least once a day to check on them and make sure everything and for the first time ever swept their opponents from Crenshaw is okay. As an old fashioned Dad, I still get concerned when they County. The Midget Tigers posted a 32-6 win, while the Termite don't answer, and will pretty much keep calling until at least one Tigers won 8-0 and the Pee Wee Tigers won 14-0. Brantley has been OTHER PICKS: answers. Hey, I don't care where they live, they are still my little the power in the league for many years and will no doubt get better as Cottonwood 21 New Brockton 14 the season rolls along. However, last weekend it was the youngsters Providence Ch. 31 Pleasant Home 16 in the black and gold that posted the wins and did the celebrating.

The Elba Tigers improved to 2-0 in the region last week with a **POLISH PROGNOSTICATOR PREDICTS PREPS**

appear to have a real shot at possibly getting the home field advan- and declared that now Auburn fans know how the Alabama fans Leroy 21 Georgiana 7 tage in the opening round of the playoffs. I know the season is have felt in recent years. The local football guesspert also bragged Goshen 26 Loachapoka 20 young and there are still five region games left on the schedule. a little on Elba and New Brockton, then left this week's picks. Oh Highland Home 33 Lanett 29 However, this time a year ago the Tigers were 0-3 and had yet to yea, he posted a 26-6 record last week to move his season totals to Houston Academy 23 G.W. Long 7

where they are sitting after three weeks of action. It was obvious last The Pea River felines enjoyed their trip over to the Wiregrass last Dale County 21 Headland 7 week that Dale County was worried about the Tigers' running weekend and will get the chance to play in their own back yard this Pike County 28 Straughn 13 attack. So, the Tigers came out passing and rode the hot arm of Trey week in another region contest. Some folks in Tigertown reported Andalusia 48 Bullock County 6 Martin to grab an early lead. Martin completed his first eight pass- seeing a scouting party along the banks of the Pea, and if that is the Ashford 22 Alabama Ch. 17 es for 173 yards and two touchdowns, and that forced Dale County case, the felines better circle their wagons and prepare for an invato change its plans and loosen up its defensive front. Once they did sion. The felines may lose some fur, but should survive with a win. Escambia Co. 27 Hillcrest 0

The Bulldogs from across the river made it look easy again last Charles Henderson 21 Valley 20

will come to town looking to put an end to the Bulldogs long region- B.T. Washington 12 Rehobeth 8 winning streak. The kitties do have a few weapons on their side and Smiths Station 21 Dothan 13 The wet weather Friday night got everyone wet, but it wasn't may dent the fence at the dog pound. However, when the game ends Enterprise 17 Central PC 14 **BRANTLEY 35 ARITON 7**

The bullpups from down near the county line will leave their pen would lose at least one of their opening three games, and last week again this week and wander around their home field with hopes of said Mississippi State would get after them. Even though he is a die- hanging a big "W" on their side of the gate. While it never hurts to hard Auburn fan, he does see things that are happening up on the wish for things, this week don't look for the wish to come true, as a plains and now feels more upsets could occur as changes are made for litter of wild kitties from down near the state line will head to town ooking to get fat on puppy chow. I hope the pups will find at least

The troops from up at Fort Jack have been reinforcing the walls this week getting ready for a visit from a batch of felines from over in the deep woods of Butler County. The felines have been scratched and clawed anyone that has gotten in their way as they have worked their way through the schedule, and this week they plan to leave their mark at the fort. Hope the wall holds up! MCKENZIE 40 ZION CHAPEL 0

Horseshoe Bend 20 Barbour County 18 Keith 29 Bayside 12 Excel 22 Red Level 6 Wicksburg 21 Houston County 15 Luverne 20 Reeltown 8 Geneva 26 Abbeville 22 T.R. Miller 17 Monroe County 8 Thomasville 34 W.S. Neal 13 Tallassee 21 Carroll 17

Stanhope Elmore 20 Jeff Davis 16

County 34-26 and all of the sudden are very much alive in the region race. The Gamecocks made big plays on both offense and defense throughout the game, and every time Geneva County would score. Tigers have chance to up region record they would answer the score to keep their hopes alive. New Brockton has been a little hard to figure out so far this season. However, they may be ready to take a giant step forward and play to take a giant step forward and play

pound lineman move in from faster and stronger."

region encounter for both teams. "These kids were as tired as anywhere on the field at any week's game is a big game, and

"Slocomb went 0-10 last sea- have to do to go up. Last year we have faced this season, and it and will have that mentality

chance to win this week we big win, and that was what Northview. These two guys Two big play veterans that must continue to improve on Friday night's game was for us. made a difference, and have didn't dress out for the Red Tops both sides of the ball and play On offense we were able to take son he has made up for lost time should have scored one more the second half they took away Slocomb, coached by Jeff and after three games has aver- time in the first half last week in the pass, and we were able to be Mitchell, struggled to an 0-10 aged almost 200 yards rushing the win over Dale County, and effective running. We need to be per contest. Brian Carroll (6-4, against a team like Slocomb we balanced to be effective, and last 245) transferred to Slocomb will have to punch it in when we week we did just that on from 6A Northview, and his get close. We did move the ball offense. The defense had anothphysical presence on both both in the air and on the ground er winning performance and offense and defense has helped a week ago, and that will be a maintained its intensity from the

Kinston Lady Bulldogs place second

at Trinity prep volleyball tournament

size," added Coach Rials, " and physical up front and tackle team."
has all the tools needed to make well. They have a back that can Kickoff for all games is 7 p.m.

offense they can score from put to the test once again. This

make the front wall solid.

must against this week. On week before. It was a total team "Slocomb has speed and defense, we will have to be effort, and was a big win for the



Elba Tiger running back Michael Lindsey (6) jumps over a teamate and heads for the endzone for a Elba defensive-end Dimetrio Tyson (77) drags down a dale County runner for a loss in last week's fourth quarter touchdown. Lindsey gained 98 yards on 13 carries and scored 2 touchdowns in the fourth 27-7 region in over the Warriors. Tyson made 6 tackles and had 2 assists to lead the defense, which limquarter to help the Tigers claim the region win over Dale County.

ited the Warriors to only 154 yards of total offense. Closing in to help is Jason Mitchell (5).

For second straight region win

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Elba Tigers roll over Dale County 27-7

Photos by Mike Capps

claim a big 27-7 region win over line.

the extra-point, and with 9:26 14-7.

Elba put the ball in play at the return by Trey Belcher, and the were right back in the endzone. 365 Dale County 35-yardline after a Tigers promptly headed down- Michael Lindsey scored the 14-19-0 Passes 50-yard punt and a 16-yard field as they tried to beat the touchdown on a 15-yard sweep 2/1 Fumbles/Lost return by the Tigers' Don clock into the endzone late in around the right end, and 4-34 Punts-Ave. five plays to reach the endzone. completed his first eight passes failed. Elba was finally in com-A 9-yard run by Gavin Respress of the game for 173 yards, conmand with a 27-7 lead with 4:00 got the scoring drive off to a fast nected with Richard Cooks on a remaining in the game. start, while Bobby Hudson 22-yard completion and later Elba's Cameron Rodgers added a 12-yard gallop, and the hooked-up with Carlos Matias recovered a Warrior fumble with touchdown came on a 4-yard on a 13-yard gain. Gavin 3:19 left on the clock, and the pass from Trey Martin to Respress pulled in two Martin Tigers ran out the clock to claim Respress. Cooks added the tosses for a total of 26 yards as the 27-7 region win. early 14-0 advantage.

then rode the legs of eighth- ever, and the Tigers turned back a pass interception by Dakell in one pass for 35 yards and a

ball to a first down at the Elba intermission. to a quick first quarter lead big defensive play by Martin with two turnovers early in the one touchdown, while Carlos behind the pin-point passing of McCormick slowed the march third quarter on a fumble after a Matias pulled in 4 passes for 15 quarterback Trey Martin and toward the Elba goal line; how- big hit by Justin Hammonds and yards and Bobby Hudson hauled

possession at the Dale County Elba 7-yardline, and one play drive as he gained 53 yards on ered fumbles. Getting sacks in 44-yardline after a Warrior punt, later Daevid Williams scored on seven carries, and scored the the win were Jason Mitchell, and needed only two plays to a 5-yard counter to put Dale touchdown on a 16-yard dash up Carlos Matias and Jordan get on the scoreboard, with the County on the scoreboard. the middle. Richard Cooks Bryant. touchdown coming on a 35-yard Wesley kicked the extra-point, added the extra-point, and with pass from Trey Martin to Bobby and with 3:39 remaining in the 6:23 left in the fourth quarter Hudson, Richard Cooks kicked half Elba's lead had been cut to Elba's lead was up to 21-7.

the clock. A spike and a sack touchdowns to lead the Tigers Dale County put the ball in backed Elba up to the 13-yard- through the air, while on the

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor ing possession, and used 35 later with an incomplete pass as 98 yards on 13 carries and yards in penalties to move the Elba carried a 14-7 lead in at scored 2 touchdowns. Gavin The Elba Tigers jumped out 13-yardline. A 4-yard loss on a The Elba defense came up with 3 catches for 80 yards and

grade running back Michael the scoring threat and regained Berry, but could get nothing score. lead into the final stanza.

Elba's Justin Hammonds EL remaining in the opening quar- Elba put the ball in play at its recovered the ensuing kickoff at 18 1st Downs ter the Tigers were already on own 36-yardline after a penalty the Dale County 21-yardline, 35-162 Rushes-Yds. 31-67 nullified a 30-yard kickoff and three plays later the Tigers 203 Passing Yds.

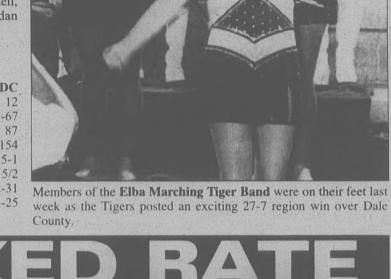
Respress led the Elba receivers

Lindsey in the fourth quarter to possession at their own 15-yard- offensively, and carried the 14-7 On defense, Elba was led by Dimetrio Tyson with 6 tackles the Dale County Warriors, Elba handed the Warriors the The Tigers put the ball in play and 2 assists, while Carlos Friday night at Midland City. first big break of the game late at their own 34-yardline to Matias and Jordan McBride The win upped the Tigers in the half when the Tigers mis- begin the fourth quarter, and set both had 4 tackles and 2 assists, record to 2-1, I-1 in region play, handled a Dale County punt, sail on a 13 play drive that ate and Matthew Brunson had 2 while the Warriors slipped to 1- and the Warriors recovered at up almost six minutes off the tackles and 4 assists. Dakell with the loss, 0-2 against the Elba 21-yardline. A 13-yard clock and resulted in a touch- Berry had a pass interception run on second down by Justin down. Michael Lindsey was the while Carlos Matias and Elba began its first offensive Wesley set the Warriors up at the workhorse of the long scoring Cameron Rodgers both recov-

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Rhoades, and this time needed the quarter. Trey Martin, who although the extra-point try 6-55 Penalties-Yds. 4-25

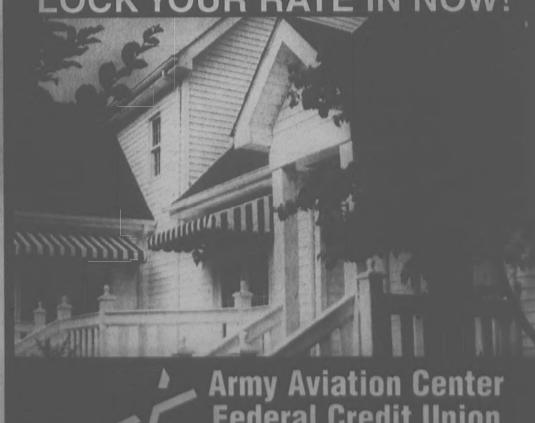




Elba Tiger running back Bobby Hudson (28) looks for room to run after pulling in a pass in last week's 27-7 region win over Dale County. Hudson caught one pass for 35 yards and a touchdown in

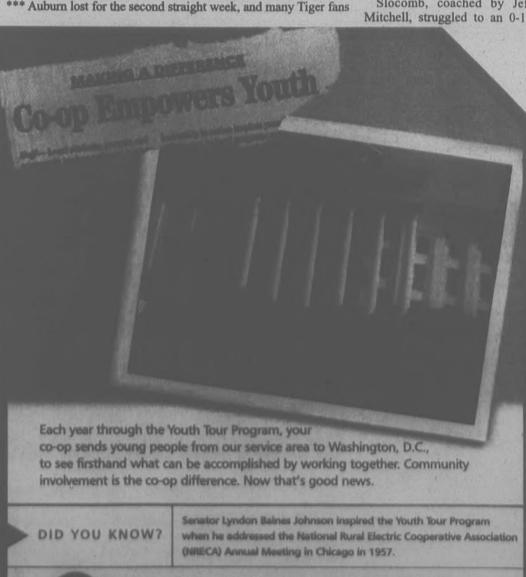
→ Home Equity Loans extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point, and with 3:44 left in the first quarter Elba owned an extra-point and BORROW UP TO \$100,000 AT 100% OF YOUR HOME'S VALUI

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The Kinston Lady Bulldogs 23, 14-25, 10-25.

Samantha Peacock had 3 digs competed in the Trinity In the five matches played on and 2 aces. Volleyball Tournament last Saturday, Kinston was led by Zion Chapel Rebel weekend, in Montgomery, and Heather Marlowe with 68 rolled to four straight wins assists, 27 digs, 4 aces, 4 blocks before falling to St. James in the and 3 kills, while Jesi Johnson added 14 kills, 10 aces, 24 digs, New Brockton 36-0

The Lady Bulldogs swept 5 assists and 1 block. Caitlin through pool play with wins over Auburn 25-18, 25-22; Gulf digs and 4 aces; Deanna sion to New Brockton, Saturday Shores 27-25, 25-22; Alabama Manning had 14 kills, 26 digs an night in New Brockton. Christian 25-22, 25-8; and d 3 blocks; Kourteney Pierce

Jemison 25-10, 25-11. However, had 17 kills, 17 digs and 4 led by Skylar Anderson with 23 Kinston saw its 22-game win- blocks; Christie Whigham had yards rushing, while Ethan Deal ning streak snapped in the 42 digs and 4 aces; Ashton championship as the Lady Parker had 7 kills and 5 blocks;
Bulldogs lost to St. James 25- Monica Wilford had 4 digs; and Chris carter had 2 big catches for first downs, Sequoyah Jordan gained 6 yards on 1 carry, and Jordan Kidd had a 1-

> On defense, Skylar Anderson led the way with 6 tackles, followed by Steven Harrell and Cody Daniels with 4 tackles, each; Chris Carter and Daniel Stone with 3 tackles, each; and Bobby Paul, Chase Peoples, Jordan Kidd, Colton Kelley and Zach Smith, all with 1 tackle.

yard gain.



HOMECOMING QUEEN KOURTENEY PIERCE AND HER COURT.... reigned at the Homecoming game Friday night against Providence Christian. Pictured above are (1-r) Marika Whitehurst - Frershman Attendant; Emily Parker - Junior Attendant; Heather Marlowe - First Alternate; the score coming on a 5 yard run Queen Kourteney Pierce; Katherine Motteler - Second Attendant; and Bethany Holley - Sophomore

Gamecocks outscore Geneva County 34-26 in wild and wet region shootout

with a big 34-26 upset win over Geneva County Bulldogs, at

0 early in the first quarter, but ensuing possession and pulled Muhammad. The Bulldogs regained the lead on their next offensive series. However, New Geneva County score and

34-yard blocked punt return and Dominique Muhammad added the two-point conversion to give the Gamecocks their first lead at ly unbeaten Geneva County, and 20-12, while the lead grew to gave their fans hopes of more 27-12 only moments later when wins as they answered repeated Dexter Gilley scored on a 4- rallies to pull out the key region yard run, and Kyle Roehler win. The Bears were picked as

Geneva County scored late in region prior to the season, and the half and tacked on the two- have little to change those prepoint conversion to pull within dictions as they have posted region last week with a big 38-8 27-20 at intermission, and at the wins over Slocomb, Houston win over Zion Chapel, and will heavy rains moved in and upset this week at Cottonwood half of the region schedule atop soaked the field and the fans.

of the third quarter, but the major upset, the Gamecocks Gamecocks once again seem to have renewed confianswered the Bulldog rally and upped their lead to 34-26 when Dexter Gilley scored on a 2yard run, and Kyle Roehler booted the extra-point.

on the soggy turf in the fourth quarter. However, the New Straight undefeated opponent Friday night when they host the Brockton defense refused to (3-0) McKenzie Tigers. The the team one wants to face when



LET'S DO IT THIS WAY A New Brockton Gamecock assistant coach talks with Justin Griswold (84) during a break in the action. The Gamecocks upped their record to 2-1 last week with a 34-26 win over Geneva County.

The New Brockton Dexter Gilley gained 166 defense by Seth Culverhouse John Moss took the handoff Gamecocks improved their yards on 28 carries and scored 2 with 10 tackles, while Justin down the right sideline for a 17 record to 2-1 and evened their touchdowns to lead the Griswold made 7 stops and yard gain, while Aaron Jacobs and Wesley Burton tacked on the after halftime, the Eagles blocked region slate at 1-1 Friday night Gamecocks, while Nathan David Davidson had 6 tackles.

Region contests continue tion. Kevin Rachel pulled in an 8-yard pass, and the Dawgs ball in play after the kickoff, and snap on a punt attempt gave New Brockton. The Gamecocks fell behind 6- for all four area teams

Following is a preview of this good foe if they hope to rally in in another first down catch at the ing 22 - 7.

feated (3-0) Cottonwood Bears. McKenzie has speed to burn and endzone for a 9-yard touchdown, rain soaked third quarter. Shortly the game out of reach. The Gamecocks evened their is brimming with confidence, region record at 1-1 last week which doesn't bode well for the with an upset win over previous- Rebels as they hunt for win #1. one of the top teams in the

County and G.W. Long. An be looking to conclude the first would give the New Brockton a Geneva County pulled within leg up on the #2 spot in the 27-26 on its second possession region, and while it would be a was expected to challenge for dence. This could be a lot closer 1-1 region slate into Friday than many think.

McKenzie at Zion Chapel The (0-3) Zion Chapel Rebels find a way to win this week to Both offenses bogged down will be facing their second keep any chances of a home

> Bulldogs will be big favorites. Florala at Kinston The (0-3) Kinston Bulldogs will be looking to get in the win column and pull off the biggest upset of the season in the 1A ranks Friday night when they host the undefeated (3-0) Florala Wildcats. The Bulldogs have struggled in the past two weeks after an impressive opening week loss to 2A Geneva County, and must regroup in a hurry if they are to have any chance this week against a highscoring batch of Wildcats from Florala. The Wildcats have opened the season with wins over 3A Headland, Providence Christian and Ariton, and are confident this will be the year they have a shot at knocking off 1A power Brantley. This one looks like a blow out for Florala on paper. However, the game will be played on the turf at Bulldog Stadium, and stranger things have happened.

The (3-0) Brantley Bulldogs

will be looking to continue their

winning ways in the region

Friday night when they host the

(1-2) Ariton Purple Cats. The

Bulldogs moved to 2-0 in the

the visiting Purple Cats. Ariton

the region crown this season,

but the Purple Cats will bring a

night's clash after being upset at

home last week by Florala. The

'Cats know they need to try and

YOUTH FOOTBALL SATURDAY, SEPT. 22

Elba at Luverne 5:30 - Midgets 6:30 - Termites 7:30 - Pee Wees In rain-shortened game

Kinston clawed by Eagles 36-7

By Scott Johnson Photos by Mary Johnson

Christian Eagles for homecoming Friday night, and the Eagles took advantage of late turnovers in the third quarter before lightning chased the teams from the field and the Eagles left town with a soggy 35 - 7 win.

The Eagles put the ball in play from the 13-yardline and covered Bulldogs could halt the attack. On fourth down at the Kinston dropped the Eagle back for a loss to give the football to the

Kinston was forced to punt on around left end for an early 6-0

Kinston was again forced to

their lead on a 32-yard touchdown run early in the second quarter. After the ensuing kickoff, Kinston put the ball in play at its Statistics and photos by Trey relinquish the lead and at the Foster added 99 yards rushing final horn it was New Brockton and scored 1 touchdown. own 6-yardline, and put together an impressive drive to cut the an impressive drive to cut the JUST MISSED....A Kinston Bulldog receiver can't haul in a pass New Brockton was led on Eagle lead in half. On first down as a Providence Christian defender knocks the ball loose in homepounded out 5 tough yards, touchdown lead. The high school football sea- Rebels lost a region contest to Jacobs rolled left and found Matt Kinston's offense continued to - 7 lead before lightning chased

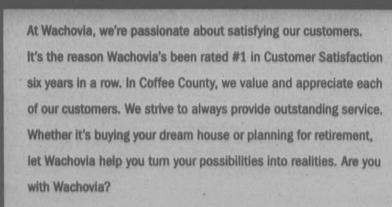
son will kick off its fourth week unbeaten Brantley last week to Whigham for a first down at the click on its next possession, and the teams from the field and put of play Friday night, with region slip to 0-2 in the region stand- 34-yardline. Aaron Rachel took gained three first downs before an end to the contest. wars set to continue for all four ings, and need to show improve- the handoff around left end for 6 the halftime buzzer sent the Post game comments from ment this week against a very yards, and Kevin Rachel pulled Bulldogs to the locker room trail- Coach Dean were not possible the second half of the season. 20-yardline. John Moss and The rain subsided just before appeared to have regained their

New Brockton at Cottonwood The Tigers were picked as a Aaron Jacobs ground out 6 tough halftime and allowed Principal intensity after last week's Friday night for an important rolled to three straight wins and inside the 10. On second down, A pair of botched punts put the plenty to cheer about before late region encounter with the unde- have yet to be scored on. Jacobs hit Ludger Boswell in the game out of reach early in the

later connected with A. J. extra-point as with 4:23 in the a punt from the 18-yardline and Johnson for a 13-yard comple- half Kinston trailed only 14 - 7. recovered the football in the endreach midfield. After John Moss touchdown run to restore the two- on the 16-yardline. Jake Nobles

The (2-1) New Brockton team to watch this season and yards before another Eagle penal- Terry Weeks to crown Kourteney blowout in McKenzie. Kinston Gamecocks will hit the road have been just that as they have ty gave the Dawgs a first down Pierce homecoming queen. gave the homecoming crowd

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SPORTS



Brantley's Stephen Walker (4) goes high to pull in a pass over a would be Rebel defender. Walker caught two touchdown pass and returned a kickoff for a score in the Bulldogs' 38-8 win over Zion Chapel.



Elba Junior Tiger Antwain Griffin (3) drags down a Brantley runner as teammates Tyler Anderson (15) and Michael Lindsey (7) close in. Elba upped its record to 2-0 with the win.

Elba Junior Tigers coast past Brantley Junior Bulldogs 22-20

Bulldogs, in Elba.

ing kickoff and drove 58 yards pulled within 14-6 with 3:25 left at Viper Series in five plays to grab the early in the half. lead. The touchdown came on a Elba added to its lead on its By Mark Chisum 35-yard pass from Gunnar initial possession of the second McCollough to Chance Goosby half on a 33-yard touchdown Casey Smith continued his A pass interception by Brantley 4-yardline with 5:38 remaining in the first scamper by Antwain Griffin domination of South Alabama Brantley's Anthony Gulley set there Jones went str

improved their record to 2-0 last ed only six plays to get on the Brantley 27. Tuesday night with an exciting scoreboard. Devonte Porter 22-20 win over the Brantley scored the touchdown on an 11- Casey Smith races yard run, and while the two-The Tigers received the open- point try failed, Brantley had to checkered flag



Elba Termite Tiger Griffin Martin (45) closes in to make a stop into third behind Smith and on a Brantley runner in youth football action. Elba swept Brantley Hogan. The race went green the last weekend as the Midget Tigers posted a 32-6 win, the Termite rest of the way, with Smith Tigers won 8-0 and the Pee Wee Tigers claimed a 14-0 win. All three pulling away from Hogan and Elba teams moved their records to 2-0 with the wins.

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Up record to 3-0 Brantley Bulldogs slosh past Zion Chapel 38-8

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The Brantley Bulldogs played their first home game of the season Thursday night and raced out to a 32-0 halftime lead on their way to a big 38-8 region win over the Zion Chapel

Stephen Walker took the game's opening kickoff and raced 82 yards for the first score of the night. The extra-point failed, but with only 14-seconds gone off the clock the Bulldogs were already on top 6-0.

The Rebels' first possession ended after one first down, while the Bulldog offense came back on the field at the Zion Chapel 23-yardline after a 21yard punt return by Roy-L Knighten. Two plays later, Terrell Burnett took the handoff on a counter play and raced 19 vards into the endzone. A twopoint attempt failed, and with :46 remaining in the first quarer the Brantley lead stood at 12-

> next Bulldog score with a 47- 38 points. yard punt return down the home sidelines that left Brantley with Brantley needed only seven the 'Dogs up at the Rebel 39- middle to put the Rebels on the a first down and goal at the Zion plays to cover the 73 yards to yardline, and five rushes later scoreboard. Gatlin Carnley ran crossed the goal line. Britt Walker. The extra-point failed to dled, leaving the Brantley lead Brantley had the win 38-8. second quarter the Bulldogs grown to 25-0.

The Elba Junior High Tigers and this time the Bulldogs need-ball over on downs at the extra-point and when the half yardage.

quarter, and McCollough passed with 2:45 remaining in the stan- Speedway's Super Late Model to Donta Rodgers for the two- za, and upped its lead to 22-6 Viper Series, winning the point conversion, as Elba moved when Gunnar McCollough con- Canebrake 125. Smith has won on top 8-0 early in the opening nected with Chance Goosby on all three series events and led the two-point conversion. every lap in the last two races. Elba's Chance Goosby recov- Brantley cut the Elba lead to Grant Enfinger led the way in ered a Brantley fumble at the 22-12 early in the fourth quarter qualifying with a time of Bulldogs' 47-yardline early in on a 10-yard pass from Zach 15.565. Smith was second the second quarter, and on the Johnson to Cassius Tillis, then fastest at 15,579, but took the next play from scrimmage scored again with 23-seconds lead on the first lap and sped Michael Lindsey took a handoff left on the clock on a 2-yard run away from the field. With the and raced 47 yards for a touch- by Porter. Porter also ran in the race going green for the first 38 down. The two-point conversion two-point conversion to pull the laps, Smith built his lead over failed, but with 6:15 left in the Bulldogs within 22-20. Enfinger and Jason Hogan, who quarter Elba was on top 14-0. However, Elba recovered the were battling for the second Brantley returned the ensuing ensuing on-sides kick and held spot. Donald Long joined the the restart on lap 43. At the lap 50 mark, Smith led Enfinger, Long, Hogan, and Korey Ruble. The running order remained the same until the second caution flew on lap 66. Long used the opportunity to pit, giving up the third spot. Texas driver Jason Young joined the top five. When the race went back to green, it was for 46 laps. While Smith eased away, Hogan worked his the position on lap 76. On lap lowing him into third. With 25 Ruble, Enfinger, and Young. The caution flew on lap 115. slowing and bunching the field. One lap later, while fighting for the third spot, Ruble and out another caution and sending



NOT THIS TIME A Zion Chapel lineman stops a Brantley runner for a short gain in last week's Anthony Gulley set up the region clash. The Rebel defense held Brantley to 242 yards of total offense last week, but surrendered

and with 11:16 remaining in the in the half Brantley's lead had the third quarter.

the Zion Chapel 43-yardline play drive that reached the Carnley added 56 yards on 17 Zion Chapel showed signs of after a fourth down gamble by Brantley 23-yardline. A 22-yard carries. life offensively on its next pos- the Rebels, and this time it took pass from Gatlin Carnley to Justin Wright led Brantley session as Gatlin Carnley con- the Bulldogs only one play to Luke Peters sparked the long with 51 yards on 6 carries, while ever, and the Rebels turned the touchdown, Barnes, added the short of the necessary first down yards for a score. ended 2:15 later the Bulldogs Midway through

> The second half opened with a Brantley punt to se a steady drizzle pelting the field, up at the Bulldog 49 but it made no difference to the 13-yard run by Joey Bulldogs, as they quickly added 29-yard pass to their lead and then gave the Carnley to Trav

went in with a big 32-0 advan- quarter Zion Chap starters the rest of the night off. helped move the R

Chapel 8-yardline. Two plays the endzone, with the touch- Justin Wright cracked over from in the two-point conversion to later, Gulley took a toss around down coming on a 13-yard pass 1-yard out. The snap on the end the scoring with 1:14 left on the left end from 3 yards out and from Chase Hall to Stephen extra-point attempt was mishan- the clock, and at the final horn Barnes kicked the extra-point, find its mark, but with 4:22 left at 38-0 with 9:25 remaining in Joey Jones gained 65 yards on 17 carries and scored 1 touch-

Zion Chapel took the ensuing down to lead the Zion Chapel were in command with a 19-0 Brantley got the ball back at kickoff and put together a 13- running attack, while Gatlin

nected with Matt Brunson on a reach pay dirt. Chase Hall hit march down the field. However, Anthony Gulley added 43 yards 45-yard pass completion to the Stephen Walker with a quick the Rebels came away empty- on 4 totes and Stephen Walker Brantley 36-yardline. The out, and Walker turned up field handed when on fourth down had 2 touchdown catches for 56 Bulldog defense stiffened; how- and raced 43 yards for the Carnley was stopped inches yards and returned a kickoff 82

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Enfinger battled back to regain ZION CHAPEL LADY REBELS placed second last weekend in the Pea River Valley Conference

87, Hogan moved back into the second position with Ruble follaps to go, Smith led Hogan, Valley Conference volleyball tournament

Conference held its first confer- Brockton. weekend at Zion Chapel High nament results: Tigers claiming four straight wins Brockton 25-14, 25-16 to claim the tournament title. Samson defeated Ariton 25-13, Championship match both to the rear. Young moved

Zion Chapel posted a 2-2 25-13 record to place second in the Zion Chapel defeated Ariton 25- 25-12, 25-16 four-team event, followed in 22, 25-23

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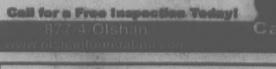
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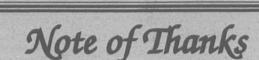
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Another article was about the

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recently caught two channel catfish weighing in at 7 ½ pounds
at the Coffee County Lake. He
caught these while fishing from

The board also awarded a bid The school was awarded an for a new Bluebird school bus to \$85,000 ACCESS Distance Alabama Bus Sales. The low bid Learning grant which will allow was for \$71,826.00. students to enroll in classes Following an executive ses- taught by experts from throughsion, which reportedly resulted out the state through live two-

in no official action, the board way video connections. heard several announcements. Corrective Action Plan approved by the state Department of Education. Alabama Reading First grant of \$200,000 will continue for

Read an acknowledgement from Education Resources Inc. for the two years Elba Elementary School assisted with producing a special program on Department of Education recog-

CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE SUNDAY! nized that the Elba schools are

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During Elba City Council meeting

for runway resurfacing project

the Elba City Council made patrol during the month of the Elba Recreation Center for businesses are celebrating an quick work of approving a August.

budget for the upcoming year. Mayor Grimes told council of the Elba Chamber of Foods of Alabama was honored The details of the proposed members he hoped to have a Commerce. and council members had been required to bring the local ordi- 2008 officers and directors for ness. reviewing the details for over a nance in line with a new state the chamber.

are funds for a new police car runway resurfacing project and er; Denise Sauls, ex-officio; and most respected businesses. and a new garbage truck. extensive work on approaches and Linda Hodge, public rela-Grimes and council members and taxi ramps. He added that tions director. The board of ues to grow and prosper. had previously expressed con- the contractor hoped to com- directors include: Jerry Kelley, In his closing remarks, 2008 cern over lack of money for plete the project in something Laurie Chapman, Daniel chamber board president Eddie some badly needed street resur- closer to 60 days, rather than the Stephens, Tonya Jones, Vaughan said he looks forward

reported continued routine The airport work is being Michael Moseley, Doris Elba. activity in the department dur- funded by grant funds. ing the past two weeks. He pre- Council members were invitsented council members with a ed to participate in the Elba breakdown of miles traveled by High homecoming parade on individual patrol officers and the Friday of this week.

Elba City Council approves "bare bones" budget for Fiscal Year 2008

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher

A quick line item comparison to the two budgets show an The Elba City Council anticipated increase of \$35,000 for the fiscal year 2007-2008, of \$10,000 in alcohol tax (for which begins October 1, 2007. schools); \$30,000 increase in Total projected income for the Police "Other revenue" new year is \$3,320,550, com- assumed to be state and federal pared to projections of grants; \$10,000 drop in the 24 \$3,315,550 for the year ending gasoline tax; \$5,000 drop in next Monday. Mayor James tobacco tax; \$5,000 increase in Grimes said in presenting the

proposed budget that it was, "a Please See BUDGET, Page 16"

served as commemoration of a town Elba.

bare bones budget."

changed that. In the mid-1980s, was released Feb. 12, 1973. students just prior to them placthe day of commemoration took. The Ringsdorf monument was ing the wreath at the foot of the

place in July and April. a wreath was placed Friday next to the Ringsdorf monument

POW/MIA Recognition Day observed in Elba last Friday A small ceremony held Friday morning next to the Ben last Friday morning was morning, Sept. 21, in Elba Ringsdorf monument in down- arranged by Wildflowers Florist

very special day for Americans Herbert Benjamin Ringsdorf, Delonda Harrelson. as POW/MIA Recognition Day a native of Elba, served in the Also taking part in the cere-U.S. Air Force and became a mony were several representa-Before 1979, there was no prisoner of war after his aircraft tives of the Elba High School specific day set aside to honor was shot down Nov. 11, 1966 Ambassadors. Their sponsor, America's prisoners of war and five miles west of the city of Lynn Weeks, took a few those missing in action; howev- Vinh Linh in Quang Binh moments to explain the signifier, a congressional resolution. Province, North Vietnam. He cance of the ceremony to the

constructed in Elba many years monument Since 1986, POW/MIA ago to honor Ringsdorf and all Recognition Day has been other prisoners of war along observed on the third Friday in with those considered missing September. In honor of this day, in action. The wreath placed

ELBA HIGH SCHOOL AMBASSADORS PLACE

WREATH...During a ceremony held last Friday morning, Sept. 21,

in downtown Elba, several of the Elba High School Ambassadors

placed a wreath at the foot of the Ben Ringsdorf monument in honor

of POW/MIA Recognition Day. The participating students included:

(front row, left to right) Brittany Phillips, Ashley Carpenter,

Kiswana Cole and Justin Pike; (back row, left to right) Aaron

Harrelson, Blake Qualls, Bobby Hudson and Trey Martin. Lynn

Weeks serves as sponsor of the Elba High Ambassadors

NOTICE

ecting Monday, Sep uted a proclamation to e Wiregrass Area

alted Way Food Bank ort of October as World

Area Happenings

DE ANNUAL FURA HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING ONFIRE will be held Thursday, Sept. 27, at approximately 0 p.m. on the Elba City Schools campus near the practice field bonfire will be cancelled if raining. TE 2007 RIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON enters ok five Priday, Sept. 28, with the Elba Tigers hosting the New ockton Gamecocks, the Zion Chapel Rebels traveling to seva County, the Kinston Bulldons traveling to Samson and Brantley Buildogs hosting Highland Home, Kickoff for all

Closing of airport noted to allow Annual chamber banquet held in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor

Matthews, Jennie Clark and
Elba Mayor James Grimes. by Ferrin Cox, Publisher

number of arrests in seven different categories. Police officers

ness community gathered last sented during this year's ban-Monday evening, Sept. 24, drove a total of 11,354 miles on Thursday evening, Sept. 20, at quet as two of Elba's longtime the annual membership banquet anniversary in 2007. Kelley

budget presented by Mayor copy of a new business license Kaye Whitworth, executive business this year while The James Grimes had been dis- ordinance ready by the next director of the Elba Chamber of National Security Group was cussed at a previous workshop council meeting. This is Commerce, introduced the honored for 60 years of busi-

week. The new budget was requirement requiring more unidescribed by Grimes as "a bare formity around the state. include: Eddie Vaughan, presitives of each business and he bones budget" and was up only Grimes also reported that the dent; Herby McCall, vice presi- highlighted many details that \$5,000 from the previous budg- Elba airport will be closed as of dent; Mary Gray, second vice have played a part in making October 1st for up to 120 days. president; Melissa Flowers, both Kelley Foods and National Included in the new budget This will allow for the major secretary; Lynn Baker, treasur- Security two of Elba's largest

120, baring bad weather or any Kenneth Calhoun, Josh Wilson, to another successful year for Police Chief Freddy Hanchey other unforeseen problems. Jim Goodson, Mary McMillan, the chamber and the City of



Top: Entertainment for this year's Elba Chamber of Commerce banquet was provided by Jody James as Elvis. James shook his hips and used his golden voice to bring back memories of the King of Rock and Roll as he sang many of Elvis' great hits. He is shown above singing a sweet melody to chamber board member Mary McMillan.

Left: The Business of the Year award was presented last Thursday evening to P & L Enterprises, owned by Dr. Mitch Purvis (second from right) and Wayne Lawford (far right). Presenting the award on behalf of the Chamber were Kaye Whitworth and Eddie

Coffee County Commission approves FY 2008 budget

by Linda Hodge, Editor

the Fiscal Year 2008 budget. County administrator Kathy

Lolley said the FY2008 budget totals \$17,726,986. During a time of discussion, Commissioner Doug Darlymple said he thought commissioners for voting for it. He said there are no big projects in the budget, and monies were taken from the road/bridge fund, landfill fund and a CD was used to bal-

ance the budget.

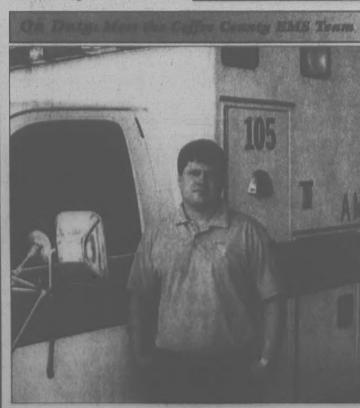
dirt road paving project still is The Coffee County not finished. He said there Commission voted Monday, remains 240 miles of dirt roads Sept. 24, during the regular in Coffee County with approxibimonthly meeting to approve mately 1,400 families living on

Dalrymple said he does not think the county is doing those families justice by taking funds out of the road/bridge budget. Despite his remarks, the proposed budget passed by a 6-1 should think about the budget vote. Dalrymple cast the lone

During his remarks to com-

missioners, Sheriff Dave Sutton

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Kenny Williams joined the Coffee County EMS team six months ago and currently services as a paramedic. He has been involved with EMS for a total of 10 years. His training includes credential paramedic, ACLS, PALS and BLS. Williams is also employed by Care Ambulance in Troy.

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